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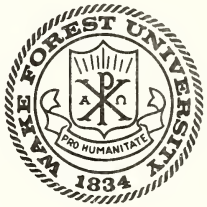

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and

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October 20, 1971

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Denver, North Carolina
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and

PEARL BAPTIST CHURCH
Iron Station, North Carolina
October 18, 1972

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Directory of the Association

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Two years	J. B. Jones	Miss Joyce Tallant
Three years	Joe Bondurant	Mrs. Charles R. Estep

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Annuity Board ---------- Parks C. Harris
Baptist Foundation ---------- Joe D. Drum
Children's Homes ---------- Bill R. Miller
Christian Action League ---------- Billy C. Beaver
Christian Education ---------- Charles N. Cranford
Christian Literature ---------- Paul U. McAlpine
Homes for the Aging ---------- Henry Ikerd
Hospital ---------- Coy H. Dellinger
South Mountain Camp ---------- Jim L. Lowery
Stewardship ---------- Billy C. Hoffman
Foreign Missions ---------- B. J. Morris
Home Missions ---------- James F. Collette
State Missions ---------- Cecil L. Ballard

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Douglas A. Ledford, Route 1, Lincolnton 28092 _____ Music Director

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Committee on Committees
One year - A. H. Staton — D. Harding Caldwell
Two years - Jim L. Lowery — David Jordan, Chairman
Three years - Coy H. Dellinger — David Ross

Executive Committee
One year - W. R. Kimberlin — Bob Hawley
Two years - Darrell Saunders — R. Ray Withers
Three years - Cecil L. Ballard, Chairman — J. M. Sherrill

Finance Committee
One year - Billy R. Miller — Elliott Loftin, Chairman
Two years - Billy C. Beaver — Sam T. Lattimore
Three years - Charles N. Cranford — Fred Hawkins, Sr.

Missions Committee
One year - D. Harding Caldwell, Chairman — Joe D. Drum
Two years - Jim L. Lowery — Bobby S. Hord
Three years - Robert A. Cantwell — Dwight Carpenter

Nominating Committee
One year - Alvin L. Hoyle, Chairman — J. C. Beal
Two years - Carl Helms — Emmitt Turbyfill
Three years - Coy H. Dellinger — E. Z. Willis

Program Committee
One year - Guy Helms, Chairman — Mrs. W. R. Kimberlin
Two years - Charles Ingle — Mrs. Earl Henry
Three years - Melvin D. Rabb — Kennith Adams

Evangelism Committee
One year - Oscar Kistler
Two years - Ralph F. Webb, Jr., Chairman
Three years - B. J. Morris

Ordination Committee
One year - Winfred M. Turner — Floyd T. Kirksey
Two years - Parks C. Harris, Chairman — L. Vernon Connell
Three years - Glenn Murphy — Dr. Eph Whisenhunt

Resolutions Committee
One year - Ernest W. Friday, Chairman
Two years - Mrs. Cecil Ballard
Three years - Loyd Spencer

Stewardship Committee
One year - Bill Hoffman, Chairman
Two years - A. H. Staton
Three years - James F. Collette

Christian Life Committee
One year - J. Willard Singletary, Chairman
Two years - Alvin Stewart
Three years - Fred A. Carpenter

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SALEM ---------- Harvey Cloninger, Route 3, Lincolnton 28092
SHARON ---------- Belton Beal, Route 3, Lincolnton 28092
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MATHIS CHAPEL ---------- Sam Loftin, Route 1, Catawba 28609
MT. RUHAMA ---------- Rickey H. Josey, Route 2, Newton 28658
PEARL ---------- C. A. Smith, Route 1, Iron Station 28080
PINEY GROVE ---------- Ronald Arndt, Route 2, Newton 28658
RIVER VIEW ---------- George Caldwell, Route 1, Lincolnton 28092
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MT. RUHAMA ---------- Rickey H. Josey, Route 2, Newton 28658
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Messengers

AMITY - Mrs. Dan Reel, Sr., Mrs. Frances Reel, Mrs. Lander Heafner, Blaine Sigmon, Mrs. Doris Turner, Winfred Turner

ANTIOCH - Mrs. N. E. Beal, Jessie Baumgardner, Pink Leatherman, Vertie Leatherman, Mrs. Robert Smith

BETHEL - Alvin Hoyle, Mrs. Alvin Hoyle, Miss Wilma Sigmon, W. M. Turner, Mrs. W. M. Turner

BOGER CITY - B. J. Morris, Mrs. B. J. Morris, George W. Smith

CALVARY - none

CEDAR GROVE - none

CENTER VIEW - Paul K. Drum, Parks C. Harris, Mrs. Parks C. Harris, Floyd Jones, Mrs. Floyd Jones, R. M. Turbyfill

CORAL PARK - Marshall H. Black

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CROUSE - J. C. Beal, Mrs. Mae Carpenter, Mrs. L. J. Davis, Mrs. Everette Goins, Elliott Loftin

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HOWARD'S CREEK - Marshall G. Gilbert, Henry Ikerd, Mrs. Henry Ikerd

HUDSON CHAPEL - Kenneth Bailey, Mrs. Kenneth Bailey, Woodrow Edwards, Alice Huffman, Paul McAlpin, Mrs. Mamie McAlpin, Miss Ruby Stewart

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LEONARD'S FORK - Mrs. Jonah Hager, Mrs. Honley Holt

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LINCOLNTON, NORTH - none

LINCOLNTON, WEST - none

LONG SHOALS - Joe D. Drum, Mrs. Joe D. Drum, Mrs. Lola Gates, Ben Helton, Ernestine Hoffman

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MATHIS CHAPEL - W. B. Lynch, Mrs. W. B. Lynch, Bobby L. Taylor

MOUNT ANDERSON - Fred Carpenter, Mrs. Fred Carpenter, Mrs. Ora Belle Herman, Rachel Painter, Doyce W. Turbyfill, Ocie Turbyfill

MOUNT RUHAMA - Mrs. D. H. Caldwell, Ray Von Caldwell, Mrs. Ray Von Caldwell, Mrs. Zelda Caldwell, Mrs. Harlee Goble, Howard Josey, Mrs. Howard Josey, Alvin E. Stewart, Mrs. Alvin Stewart, D. C. Wesson

MOUNT ZION - Bartlett Hager, Mrs. L. A. McClure, Billy R. Miller, E. A. Sadler, Mrs. W. E. Stroup, Jr.

MOUNTAIN VIEW - Grace Caldwell, D. Harding Caldwell, Mrs. D. Harding Caldwell, Ross Caldwell, Mrs. Raymond Hicks, Ethel Moore, Lee Moore, Vassil Robinson, Ada Woodard

NORTH BROOK - Mrs. Lee Bess, Mrs. Edgar Brackett, Coy Dellinger, Mrs. Coy Dellinger

OAK GROVE - Mrs. Nelson Beam, Horace Crouse, Pauline Crouse, Christine Hedrick

OLIVET - Billy C. Hoffman, Mrs. Reid Martin

PEARL - Addie Dellinger, Linda Grigg, Steve Grigg, Glenn Murphy, Mrs. Glenn Murphy, Virginia Murray, Mrs. C. A. Smith, Thelma Smith

POOLE'S CHAPEL - none

REEPSVILLE - Buford Bumgarner, Mrs. Buford Bumgarner, W. M. Scronce, Mrs. W. M. Scronce, Mrs. George Wood

RIVER VIEW - Ernest W. Friday, Mrs. Ernest W. Friday, Mrs. Nell Harless, Mrs. Lena Hoffman, Jim Lowery, Cecil Ramsey

ROSELAND - Ruth Colvard, Hester Griffin

SALEM - Mrs. J. C. Babb, Charles N. Cranford, Glenn Dellinger, Mrs. Glenn Dellinger, Mrs. Helen Lockman

SHARON - none

SOUTHSIDE - Mrs. H. L. Chapman, W. R. Kimberlin, Mrs. W. R. Kimberlin, Mrs. Glenn Morrison, Lucille Shelton, Mrs. Robert Whitesides

TEMPLE - none

WESTPORT - Mrs. D. L. Fortenberry, Sr., Mrs. Wilma Howard, Mrs. Franklin Stilwell

WESTSIDE - none

Constitution

Preamble

We, the Missionary Baptist Churches of Jesus Christ, composing the South Fork Baptist Association, convinced of the necessity of an association of churches in order to promote fellowship, missions education, Christian service, the preaching of the gospel, and to cooperate with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention in their work, do hereby agree and subscribe to the following articles.

Article I NAME

The name of the body shall be the South Fork Baptist Association of North Carolina.

Article II MEMBERSHIP

The membership of the Association shall be composed of the duly elected messengers from the cooperating Baptist Churches in the South Fork Baptist Association, three for the first one hundred members or fraction thereof, and one for each additional one hundred members or fraction thereof, provided that no church shall have more than ten messengers in addition to the pastor. All Pastors of churches in the Association and the Director of Missions shall be recognized as messengers.

Article III AUTHORITY

This Association claims to be independent and sovereign in its own sphere, but shall never attempt to exercise any authority over the internal affairs af the churches.

Article IV ARTICLES OF FAITH

The Articles of Faith of this Association, which shall be the basis of fellowship and co-operation, are those adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention in Memphis, Tennessee on May 14, 1925 and amended in Kansas City, Missouri, May 9, 1963.

Article V MEETINGS

The Association shall meet annually on Tuesday and Wednesday after the third Sunday in October. The Moderator shall call special meetings of the Association upon the recommendation of the Executive Committee, provided two weeks notice is given to the member churches.

Article VI OFFICERS

The officers of the Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Parliamentarian, Historian, Libarian and three Trustees. They shall be elected by the Association in its annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting. Vacancies occuring between annual meetings shall be filled by the Executive Committee, except the office of Moderator, in which the Vice-Moderator shall automatically become Moderator.

Article VII ORGANIZATIONS

The Association shall encourage and promote such associational organizations as Sunday School, Church Training, Women's Missionary Union, Brotherhood, Music and such other organizations which are in keeping with the purpose of this Association with their full staffs and programs necessary for the promotion of the work. The officers of these organizations shall be elected by the Association in its annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting. Vacancies occuring between annual meetings shall be filled by the Executive Committee.

Article VIII ASSOCIATIONAL BOARD

The Association shall have an Associational Board composed of the officers of the Association, the Director of Missions, the Associational Sunday School Director, the Associational Church Training Director, the Associational W.M.U. Director, the Associational Brotherhood Director, the Associational Music Director, the pastors of the member churches, and two members from each member church to be elected by the church. The two members from each church shall be duly certified in the annual letter.

Article IX ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL

The Association shall have an Associational Council composed of the Director of Missions as chairman, the Moderator, the Associational Sunday School Director, the Associational Church Training Director, the Associational W.M.U. Director, the Associational Brotherhood Director, the Associational Music Director, the chairman of the Executive Committee and the Chairman of Evangelism.

Article X COMMITTEES

The Moderator shall appoint at the annual meeting of the Association a committee on Committees, consisting of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.

The Association shall have the following standing committees, along with other committees authorized by the Association or the Associational Board.

1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of the Moderator, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, the Chairman of the Missions Committee and six other members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
2. The Finance Committee shall be composed of the Treasurer and six other members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
3. The Missions Committee shall be composed of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.

4. The Nominating Committee shall be composed of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
5. The Program Committee shall be composed of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
6. The Evangelism Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.
7. The Ordination Committee shall be composed of six pastors.
8. The Resolutions Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.
9. The Stewardship Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.
10. The Christian Life Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.

Article XI NEW CHURCHES

The Association may receive other churches into its fellowship upon receipt of letters of dismission from other like associations. It may also receive newly constituted churches whose Articles of Faith harmonize with the generally accepted Articles of Faith among Southern Baptist. Any newly organized church applying for membership in the Association shall be received under the watchcare for a period of time sufficient to prove, through practice and attitude, its place as a cooperating Baptist church. A church, upon organization, may apply for membership through the Executive Committee of the Association. If, in the judgment of the Missions Committee, such church has met the requirements stated above, the Missions Committee may recommend at the next annual meeting that such church be received into the full fellowship of the Association. During this period of watchcare such churches shall be entitled to all rights and privileges of the Association except that their members shall not hold office nor vote.

Article XII DISCIPLINE

Any church failing to report the annual letter to the Association, or failing to be represent ed at the annual meeting, or failing to contribute worthily to Associational and Denominational Missions, for two consecutive years, shall be notified by the Executive Committee that if their failure is not remedied by the next annual meeting, recommendation shall be made to remove said church from the fellowship of the Association.

Articles XIII CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES

This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of the Association by a two-thirds majority of the messengers present and voting on the second day, at a time provided by the Program Committee, provided the proposed amendment has been presented to the Executive Committee in writing at least thirty days prior to the annual meeting, and provided the proposed amendment is read to the Association on the first day of the annual meeting.

Article XIV QUORUM

Messengers from thirty-three and one third percent of the churches enrolled as members of the Association shall constitute a quorum.

By-Laws

By-Law I Parliamentary Rules

The Parliamentary authority of the Association shall be Robert's Rules of Order (latest revised edition).

By-Law II. Associational Year

The Associational year shall begin October 1 and close September 30.

By-Law III. Meetings

The regular meetings of the Association shall be held at such places as may be decided by the Association in regular session. Change of places that may become necessary shall be decided by the Executive Committee. Each session of the Association shall be opened and closed with prayer.

By-Law IV. Election of Officers

Nominations for Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer shall be made from the floor. The Nominating Committee will present names for all other officers.

By-Law V. Duties of Officers

1. The Moderator shall preside over the meetings of the Association according to the Constitution and By-Laws, and appoint a Committee on Committees. He shall be chairman of the Associational Board and shall be a member of all committees. He shall be ineligible to suceed himself after the second successive term.

2. The Vice Moderator shall preside in the absence, or at the pleasure of the Moderator, and shall be vice chairman of the Associational Board.

3. The Clerk shall send annual report forms to the member churches at least thirty days prior to the annual Associational meeting. Keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the Association, supervise the printing and the distributing of the Minutes to the member churches, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee, keep on file copies of the minutes, records and other documents of the Association, and serve as Secretary of the Associational Board. For these services the Clerk may receive an honorarium annually to be decided by the Association.

4. The Treasurer shall receive and bank all funds of the Association in the name of the Association, disburse the same upon instructions from the Association, its Associational Board or as designated in the budget; render an accurate report of receipts and disbursements at the annual meeting, give a report at each quarterly Associational Board meeting; and keep books available and up to date for examination. For mutual protection the Treasurer shall be bonded in such an amount as the Executive Committee shall direct. For these services the Treasurer may receive an honorarium annually to be decided by the Association.

5. The Parliamentarian shall advise and assist the Moderator and the Association with respect to all matters involving proper parliamentary procedure.

6. The Historian shall collect and preserve historical data on the Association and its churches, and shall present a written report at each annual meeting of the Association.

7. The Librarian shall direct and supervise the Library Program of the Association and shall present a written report at each annual meeting of the Association.

8. The three Trustees shall be the legal representatives of the Association in all matters concerning the acquiring or disposing of property, and shall execute in the name of the Association all legal instruments as directed by the Association or the Associational Board.

By Law VI. Duties of Organizational Leaders

1. The Associational Sunday School Director shall promote and supervise the Sunday School Program of the Association, and shall be responsible for the direction of the Vacation Bible School work of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

2. The Associational Church Training Director shall promote and supervise the Church Training Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

3. The Associational Woman's Missionary Director shall promote and supervise the Woman's Missionary Union Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions and in keeping with the Constitution and By-Laws of Woman's Missionary Union of South Fork Baptist Association.

4. The Associational Brotherhood Director shall promote and supervise the Brotherhood Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

5. The Associational Music Director shall promote and supervise the Music Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

By-Law VII. The Associational Board

The Associational Board shall hold four quarterly meetings and others as necessary, and present a written report to the Association at its annual meeting. It shall be the duty of the Associational Board to act for the Association in the interim between annual meetings. It shall carry out the policies and will of the Association.

By-Law VIII. The Associational Council

The Associational Council shall coordinate the activities of the Associational organizations and plan and promote an Associational calendar of activities. It shall meet at least once per quarter.

By-Law IX. Duties of Committees

1. The Committee on Committees shall nominate the members of the several standing committees and present them for election by Association, fill any vacancies that may occur between annual meetings and report these to the Associational Board; and appoint special committees that may be authorized by the Association or its Associational Board.

2. The Executive Committee shall administer all matters committed to it by the Association or its Associational Board and decide on routine and emergency matters between sessions of the Associational Board. It shall initiate and recommend matters concerning business management and approve the employment of all personnel, except the Director of Missions. It shall accept applications for membership in the Association from newly constituted churches and may receive said churches under watchcare until the next annual meeting. It shall provide annually for an audit of the Treasurer's records and report the condition of the financial records to the Association. It shall give full guidance and direction to the Director of Missions in formulating plans and promoting the work of the Association in general. It shall meet monthly but a quorum of five shall be necessary to transact business. It shall report quarterly to the Associational Board.

3. The Finance Committee shall plan and present to the Associational Board in its last meeting prior to the annual meeting of the Association an annual budget to be approved by the Board and then present to the Association in its annual meeting for final approval. This committee shall have the general oversight and administration of the financial affairs of the association, and make a quarterly report to the Associational Board.

4. The Missions Committee shall survey communities which appear to be in need of new Baptist work and ministry; seek to enlist churches to sponsor new work in such communities; give guidance and council in procuring temporary and permanent sites for locating such work in accord with Associational policy; and make recommendations to the Association or its Associational Board as to the missionary needs which might be best met through cooperative efforts. It shall advise with any group considering a new church and assist in organizing new churches. It shall make recommendations to the Association concerning all churches under watchcare.

5. The Nominating Committee shall nominate at the annual meeting of the Association the officers of the Association and organizational officers according to Articles V and VI of the Contitution and Associational representatives for the various institutions and agencies of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

6. The Program Committee shall prepare a printed program for the annual meeting of the Association which shall be sent to all persons on the program and to all pastors at least thirty days before the annual meeting. It shall direct the enrolment of the messengers at the annual meeting. It shall recommend the place or places for the next annual meeting and the preacher and alternate for the annual sermon.

7. The Evangelism Committee shall promote the total program of Evangelism within the churches of the Association.

8. The Ordination Committee shall, upon request by a member church, assist with the examination and ordination of a candidate for the gospel ministry.

9. The Resolutions Committee shall present to the Association any resolutions it may deem wise. All resolutions presented to the Association shall be referred to the Resolutions Committee, except that by a two-thirds vote of the messengers present on the first day of the Associational meeting, the rules may be suspended and a resolution may be taken up for immediate consideration.

10. The Stewardship Committee shall promote the total program of Stewardship within the churches of the Association. It shall assist the Finance Committee in the promotion of the Associational budget.

11. The Christian Life Committee shall recommend ways in which the Association can work for the promotion of civic righteousness and social uplift.

12. Members of all committees shall be elected to serve on a rotating basis of not more than three years.

By-Law X. Employment Procedures

The Association shall employ a Director of Missions who shall be recommended by the Executive Committee and elected by the Association or the Associational Board. The Director of Missions shall work under the guidance of the Executive Committee and serve as a member of all committees. All other employed personnel, as may be provided in the Associational budget, shall be employed by the Executive Committee.

By-Law XI. Amendments

Amendments to the By-Laws may be made at any annual meeting by a majority of the messengers present.

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS JOB DESCRIPTION

I. Chief Administrative Office of the Association.

II. Relationships

1. Responsible to the Executive Committee of the Association. He shall meet with and report to the Executive Committee at least monthly.
2. General supervision of the personnel and program of the Association as they function through the Associational office.
3. Work primarily with the Associational general officers, committees, and organizations.
4. Work closely with auxiliary organizations (Pastors' conference, Ministers' wives, etc.)
5. Lead in maintaining relationships with State and SBC agencies.
6. Implement inter-action with outside agencies which may be beneficial to the program of the Association (American Bible Society, Christian Action League, news media, etc.)

III. Duties

1. Administrative

a. Administer policies and instructions committed to him by the Association, its Associational Board or Executive Committee.

b. Work closely with the Associational officers, committees, and organizations to help each group determine (1) its opportunities and objectives based on the needs in the churches; (2) its procedures and programs for achieving these objectives.

c. Keep up-to-date information on population development throughout the area of the Association by means of area religious surveys; watch for mission needs, carefully studying areas with potential opportunities for new missions and churches with the assistance of the churches in said areas; make necessary recommendations to the Association or Associational Board concerning the location and purchase of property for new work within the area; to enlist the support of an already established church to sponsor new work.

d. Encourage churches to extend their witness through new ministries such as day care centers, juvenile rehabilitation programs, prison work, etc.

e. Assist the Associational organization heads in the development of annual and long-range objectives; set goals and make plans for their attainment.

f. Correlate the work of all organizations and committees of the Association and publish a calendar of activities.

g. Supervise the Associational staff (when such staff is employed) in their assigned tasks.

h. Have general oversight of purchasing equipment and supplies within the approved budget, after having presented request to the Executive Committee in its monthly meeting.

i. Help establish a rapport between the various organizations and groups within the Association in reference to policies and procedures by working closely with committee chairmen, by properly and unprejudicially conveying the actions and recommendations to the Executive Committee or Associational Board or to the Association in session.

j. Inform State and Southern Convention agencies of needs, problems and protentialities within the Association.

k. Keep abreast and well informed of all new programs of the State and the SBC and make himself available for the interpreting of such programs to the churches within the Associational area.

2. Counselor-Shepherd

At the request of church leaders he shall counsel with leaders and/or churches with reference to (1) programs and procedures in their churches; (2) calling a pastor or other staff member (he shall not make recommendations to churches within the Associational area unless requested to do so); (3) actual or threatened breach of fellowship; (4) church objectives and policies; (5) assist pastors and others in counseling those who are called into church-related vocations.

3. In The Churches

a. He shall establish an harmonious working relationship between himself and the pastor and leaders of the churches within the Associational area by the following means: (1) Systematic visitation of services of the Associational churches; (2) pulpit supply; (3) study courses; (4) missionary addresses; (5) teaching in Sunday School; (6) special day addresses; (7) ordination services; (8) planning and leading of Vacation Bible Schools; (9) revival meetings; (10) stewardship emphasis (for items 2-10 any remuneration received shall be considered that of the Director of Missions for services rendered unless otherwise instructed by the remunerator); (11) Deacons meetings, if requested to attend by the chairman; (12) assembly programs; (13) interpret phases of associational work, particularly when new work is being proposed for the association and especially to new churches and missions; (14) planning budgets; (15) planning buildings; (16) presenting Associational objectives and long-range plans; (17) evaluating for churches, at their request, associational curriculum, procedures, constitution and by-laws.

4. In The Association Office

a. Personal correspondence, promotional mail and telephoning pertinent to his work. (The Director of Missions shall be expected to set up and maintain specific office hours - approximately four hours per day.)

b. Office conferences, answers to inquires, etc.

c. Assist Associational officers, committees and the organizational heads to get out promotional mail pertinent to their work (clerical work by the Director of Missions shall be kept to a very minimum and with the approval of the Association a secretary on at least a part-time basis shall be employed, upon the Executive Committee's approval.)

5. Reports

Reports shall be made to the Executive Committee monthly and to the Associational Board quarterly. Said reports to include the work activities of the Director of Missions including office hours kept, meetings conducted and/or attended, churches attended, church services participated in, days spent on the field, miles traveled, conferences held, etc. These reports should be distributed in mimeographed form at least. quarterly.

POLICY STATEMENT:

The Director of Missions and the Association should have a clear understanding of policies vital to their relationship.

1. Term of service.

   According to By-Law X the Director of Missions shall be recommended by the Executive Committee and elected by the Association or the Associational Board. He shall be called on the same basis that a church pastor is normally called for service. The Director of Missions service may be terminated either by himself after having given at least ninety days notice or by the Associational Board after a ninety days notice has been given. In the event the Association finds it necessary to terminate the services of the Director of Missions, he shall be paid thirty days severance pay.

2. The salary of the Director of Missions shall be recommended by the Finance Committee and adopted by the Association in its annual meeting. Fringe benefits and/or expense accounts shall also be stipulated in the annual budget of the Association. Honorariums shall be handled as previously described in Item III, section3, points 2-10.

3. Method of Salary Control.

   The Finance Committee shall give careful study to the work of the Director of Missions at the close of each year, the existing economy, increases in the Missionary's expenses, etc., and shall recommend necessary adjustments in salary.

4. The Director of Missions will be granted two weeks vacation annually. In addition, he shall have one designated day per week off from his work, said day to be other than Sunday or Wednesday. The Association agrees that the Missions Director will have the necessary time involved to attend denominational meetings, such as Vacation Bible School clinics, annual Mission Superintendents' conferences, Southern Baptists and State Conventions, the State Evangelistic Conferences, etc., provided conditions in the Association permit and attendance at said Conferences are approved by the Executive Committee.

5. Revival

   The Missions Director may not accept more than three weeks of services each year which require him to be away from the field of service. He may accept any number of revivals within the Association, provided this does not interfere with his normal work.

6. Sick Leave

   It shall be understood that the salary of the Director of Missions shall be paid during the time when he may incur normal sicknesses, being confined either to his home or the hospital. In case of prolonged illness, 90 days or more, the Executive Committee shall confer with the Director of Missions and his physician if necessary to ascertain the probable extent of the time the Director shall be unable to perform his duties, upon the basis of that information they shall make recommendations to the Associational Board.

Program

THEME: "Committed to a World"

OCTOBER 19, 1971 - LAWING'S CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH, MAIDEN

3:30 Registration

4:00 Worship ---------- W. R. Kimberlin

4:15 Organization and Order of Business
- Welcome
- Recognition of Visitors
- Introduction of New Workers - Winfred Turner

4:30 Reports and Miscellaneous Business

Treasurer	Mrs. J. E. Helms
Finance Committee	Cecil L. Ballard
Executive Committee	Coy H. Dellinger
Missions Committee	D. Harding Caldwell
Program Committee	Glenn Murphy
Committee on Committees	John McLeod
Nominating Committee	Alvin L. Hoyle
Scholarship Commission	Earl Henry

5:00 Hymn

5:05 Director of Missions' Address ---------- James B. McQuere

5:20 Message in Music ---------- Kennith Adams

5:30 Moderator's Address ---------- Charles N. Cranford

6:00 Benediction ---------- James F. Collette

Supper

7:00 Worship ---------- W. R. Kimberlin

7:15 Message in Music ---------- The Reachouts
First Baptist Church, Lincolnton
Mrs. Adair Cantwell, Director

7:25 Scripture Reading and Prayer ---------- Fred A. Carpenter

7:30 Annual Sermon ---------- Earl Henry

8:00 Hymn

8:05 Message in Music ---------- Handbell Ringers
First Baptist Church, Lincolnton

8:15 Address ---------- Dr. W. Perry Crouch
General Secretary, Treasurer
Baptist State Convention of N. C.

9:00 Benediction ---------- B. J. Morris

OCTOBER 20, 1971 - LINCOLN AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, LINCOLNTON

9:15 Worship ---------- W. R. Kimberlin

9:30 Social Services Panel ---------- Robert A. Cantwell, Moderator
Children's Homes ---------- Isaac Terrell
Homes for the Aging ---------- William A. Poole
Hospital ---------- W. K. McGee

10:10 Hymn

10:15 Baptist Foundation ---------- Peyton Brown

10:25 Christian Literature ---------- J. Marse Grant

10:35 South Mountain Camp ---------- T. A. Lineberger

10:40 Election of Officers and Miscellaneous Business

10:55 Hymn

11:00 Memorial Service ---------- Bill R. Miller

11:10 College Representatives

11:25 Wingate Choir ---------- James Blackwelder, Director

11:45 Missionary Address ---------- Dr. Samuel A. DeBord
Associate Secretary for Promotion
Foreign Mission Board, S. B. C.

12:30 Benediction ---------- Henry Ikerd

Lunch

Proceedings

Ninety-Third Annual Session

SOUTH FORK BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

October 19, 1971

The ninety-third annual session of the South Fork Baptist Association was called to order by Vice-Moderator Earl Henry, at 4:00 P. M. A brief worship service was led by W. R. Kimberlin, assisted by Mrs. Kimberlin as soloist and Miss Martha Shelton at the Piano. Mr. Kimberlin read John 6:66-69 and spoke on the theme "Our Commitment To Christ". Mrs. Kimberlin closed this period with a medley "His Eye is on the Sparrow" and "My Heavenly Father Watches Over Me".

Glenn Murphy made a motion that those who are now registered and those who will register shall constitute the ninety-third session of the South Fork Baptist Association. Motion carried.

Glenn Murphy made a motion that the printed program with whatever changes may be necessary, shall be the order of business for this ninety-third session. Motion carried.

The Vice-Moderator stated all motions that might be made were to be presented in writing.

Darrell Saunders welcomed the Association on behalf of the host church.

Visitors recognized were Thomas Taylor, South Mountain Association, Alvin A. Walker, past Superintendent of Missions, Dr. and Mrs. W. Perry Crouch, Raleigh, Mrs. Rosa Heafner and E. C. Link, Hickory.

The following new pastors were introduced to the association by Winfred Turner: B. J. Morris, Boger City; James F. Collette, Craig Memorial; Henry Ikerd, Howard's Creek; Richard V. Martin, Piney Grove; Jack Chandler, Temple and Harold Townsend, Westport. New Staff members in our churches: Miss Lois Reel, Amity; David L. Grogan, Boger City; Rodger Sailors, Hull's Grove; Mrs. Adair Cantwell, Lincolnton-First; Miss Ellen Bridges, Macedonia; Kennith D. Adams, Maiden-First; Carroll W. Cooke, Pearl; Roy Cooke, Reepsville; and Jay Baker, Salem.

The following reports were presented and adopted: Treasurer (pages 19-20) Mrs. J. E. Helms; Finance Committee (page 10) Cecil L. Ballard - I move the adoption of the proposed budget with the understanding that the increases in salaries shall be subject to the President's wage and price freeze effective until November 13, 1971. Motion carried; Executive Committee (pages 8-9) Coy H. Dellinger; Missions Committee (page 14) D. Harding Caldwell; Program Committee, Glenn Murphy - We recommend: (1) That for the ninety-fourth session the association meet with Amity Church on the first day and with Pearl Church on the second day; (2) That Fred A. Carpenter preach the annual sermon with Billy R. Miller as alternate. Recommendation adopted. Committee on Committees (page 7) W. R. Kimberlin; Nominating Committee (pages 14-15), Alvin L. Hoyle; Scholarship Commission (page 17) Mrs. J. B. McQuere. The reports are found in the Book of Reports.

James B. McQuere made a motion that all other reports printed in the Book of Reports be adopted. Motion carried.

Jim Lowery, Brotherhood Director called attention to report on page 3 and encouraged churches to support and encourage participation by men and boys. Also to support and help pay for Camp CaRaway.

Glenn Murphy reported 167 messengers, 30 visitors making a total registered of 197.

Mrs. W. R. Kimberlin led the congregation in singing of the hymn "Jesus Calls Us O'er The Tumult". Martha Shelton at Piano (Southside) and Delores White at Organ (Lincoln Avenue).

The Director of Missions address was made by James B. McQuere. He challenged the association to set as a goal for the next five years to organize at least one new mission each year.

Message in Song by Kennith Adams, "Give Me A Vision".

The Moderator's address was given by Charles N. Cranford, who took as his text Luke 14:25-33, theme "Forget Tomorrow? Never".

Winfred Turner requested we remember in prayer Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Webb, who are both in the hospital. Earl Henry requested that we also remember Mrs. Charles Cranford who is in the hospital.

James F. Collette led in the benediction and blessing for the evening meal.

Evening session was called to order by Charles N. Cranford, Moderator at 7:00 P. M. A brief worship period by Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Kimberlin. Theme for this period "Our Need for Commitment to the Church", Scripture Ephesians 2:8-10. Mrs. Kimberlin closed this period by singing a medley of "It Took A Miracle", "Amazing Grace" and "Marvelous Grace", accompanied at Piano by Martha Shelton.

Message in Music by "The Reachouts" from First Baptist Church, Lincolnton under the direction of Mrs. Adair Cantwell sang, "Do You Really Care", "Love is Surrender", "You Can Experience" and "Let There Be Peace On Earth", accompanied at piano by Jane Lockman.

Fred A. Carpenter read scripture from second chapter of II Timothy and John 9:24-25 and led in prayer.

Earl Henry preached the annual sermon. His theme, "A Christians Final Authority".

Mr. Cranford expressed thanks to Lawing's Chapel for a bountiful meal and hospitality shown.

Mrs. W. R. Kimberlin led congregation in singing the hymn "Fight the Good Fight".

Message in Music by the Handbell Ringers of First Baptist Church, Lincolnton - "Wherever He Leads".

Director of Missions introduced our special guest speaker, Dr. W. Perry Crouch.

Dr. Crouch brought a very informative message of the work we are doing in our state and challenged us to do even greater things in 1971-72.

Benediction by B. J. Morris.

October 20, 1971

The session was call to order by Charles N. Cranford, Moderator at 9:15 A. M. A brief worship period led by Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Kimberlin. Mr. Kimberlin read Mark 6:7-12 with theme "Our Commitment To A World". Mrs. Kimberlin closed this period by singing "Not My Will" accompanied at piano by Delores White.

Welcomed by host pastor, Earl Henry with instructions given for noon meal.

Robert Cantwell recognized Mrs. Eunice Bandy, visiting from Fayetteville.

Robert Cantwell moderated the Social Services Panel composed of William A. Poole, Homes for the Aging; Andrew Lester, Baptist Hospital and Isaac Terrell, Children's Homes. A very informative period.

Mrs. W. R. Kimberlin led the congregation in singing the hymn, "In Christ There is no East or West".

Peyton Brown spoke concerning the Baptist Foundation.

Woodrow Hill, substituting for J. Marse Grant, spoke on Christian Literature with particular reference to the Biblical Recorder.

T. A. Lineberger spoke concerning South Mountain Baptist Camp.

The following were elected to Committee on Committees for a three year period: David Ross, Lincoln Avenue; Coy H. Dellinger, North Brook; and David Jordan, Maiden-First as Chairman.

Ernest Friday presented the following report of the Resolutions Committee, which was adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That we express our appreciation to Lawing's Chapel Church and its pastor, Darrell Saunders, and to Lincoln Avenue Church and its pastor, Earl Henry, who have provided so graciously for the ninety-third annual session of the association and who have been so cordial and hospitable.

That we acknowledge our gratitude to the Program Committee for the excellent program they have presented.

That we commend the officers of the association for the gracious and efficient direction of the program and we express our heart felt thanks to Charles N. Cranford for his splendid leadership and faithful service as Moderator during the past two years.

The following were elected to serve for 1971-72: Moderator, Earl Henry; Vice-Moderator, Billy Beaver; Clerk and Treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Helms.

Mrs. W. R. Kimberlin led the congregation in singing the hymn "O God, Our Help in Ages Past".

Billy R. Miller led in a Memorial Service to those of our association who have passed away during the year. The names of these persons will appear elsewhere in the Annual.

Mr. McQuere introduced the following college representatives: CAMPBELL COLLEGE, Hugh L. McKinney, Director of Public Relations; GARDNER-WEBB COLLEGE, Rev. Charles W. Freeman, Campus Minister; WAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY, Dr. Richard Barnette, Chairman Department of History.

The Wingate Choir under the direction of James Blackwelder sang, "Children of The Heavenly Father", "Holy Saviour Bowed in Anguish", "Credo", "Glorious Everlasting" and "The Beatitudes".

Dr. Samuel A. DeBord, Associate Secretary for Promotion of Foreign Mission Board, S.B.C. and a missionary to Africa for 8 years spoke on the need for missions today and are we REAL or SYNTHETIC Christians?

Charles N. Cranford asked the newly elected officers to come forward for installation and prayer of dedication.

Earl Henry, Moderator for 1971-72 challenged us to work for a greater year.

Henry Ikerd gave the benediction and asked God's blessings on the noon meal.

Attendance - First day 284, Second day 200.

WRITTEN REPORTS FOR THE 1971 SESSIONS OF THE SOUTH FORK BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

Guy Helms

The American Bible Society in its endeavor seeks to serve the whole world. Its purpose is to provide the Bible, the most important book of the ages to all men. Its concern is for the redemption of the world--for the whole life of the whole man in the whole world. Every man on the earth must be told of the Saviour in his own tongue and given the opportunity to surrender his life to Him. This can be done if christian people press with vigor on.

The American Bible Society serves as a partner of Southern Baptist in providing the Scripture as a tool for Missions.

The American Bible Society is a non-profit organization, and serves churches of many denominations at home and abroad. It helps missionaries translate the Bible. It distributes usually below cost, and without any charges in case of special need. It provides Scriptures in Braille, for the Blind, and Talking Bible records and tape recordings.

In the last year the American Bible Society:

- aided in providing technical assistance to more than 3,000 translators working in 800 dialects.
- donated 4,323,599 Scriptures for the Armed Services.
- distributed 99,595,465 Bibles, Testaments and Selections.
- the world distribution of all Bible Societies totaled 173 million.

Southern Baptist stands first among all denominations in supporting this work, but there is still much to be done. Has your church given this year?

Send your gifts to the Baptist state office, marked "for the American Bible Society".

ANNUITY BOARD

Carl Helms

As prices of goods increased and the value of the dollar decreased in 1970, a large number of Baptist pastors, church staff members and denominational employes moved to provide greater protection in the years ahead for themselves and their families. Most of these persons did so by increasing their Southern Baptist Protection Program participation to at least ten per cent of total salary.

While members upgraded, the Annuity Board was introducing Good Experience Credit. This gives Protection Program members benefits over and above the amounts set forth in their certificates.

Increased benefits are made possible by interest earnings in excess of the Protection Program's initial actuarial assumptions. Since January 1, 1970, active members received Good Experience Credit in the form of increases in retirement credits accrued.

Retired persons also get Good Experience Credit. Persons receiving benefits other than education, variable or fixed period are getting four per cent more income each month.

Each retired person, or widow, also received a "13th Check" for 1970 amounting to 8.33 per cent of his annual benefit. It was the fifth consecutive year the "13th Check" had been given and amounted to $424,594.

In its 53 year history, the Annuity Board has paid benefits amounting to $82.1 million; $8.4 million was paid in benefits during 1970.

Highlights of 1970

Total Active Members in:	
Plan A of Protection Program	24,526
Plan B of Protection Program	10,541
Plan C of Protection Program	3,898
Health Benefit Plan	16,374
Life Benefit Plan	5,857
New Group Insurance (Church)	7,109
New Group Insurance (Agency)	8,234
Churches billed in Plan A	20,669
Agencies with Plans	162

New Benefit Recipients:	
*Age Retirement	765
Variable	48
Disability	50
Widow	159
Child	84
Education	142
Total	1,248
Relief Recipients	432
Relief Payments	162,507
Total Benefits Paid	$8,404,306

*Includes lump-sum and one-time payments

An Annuity Board protection program is available to cover all the needs of a pastor, church staff member or denominational employe. Many churches help by paying the dues in retirement and life and health insurance plans. Information on any part of the Annuity Board's programs may be obtained from the state convention office or from the Developement Division, Annuity Board, SBC, 511 North Akard Building, Dallas, Texas 75201.

ASSOCIATIONAL BOARD

Charles N. Cranford

The Associational Board held each of its four quarterly meetings. The following actions were taken by the Board during the year:

1. Voted to move the Associational Office to 1003 East Main Street, Maiden.
2. Adopted a job description for the Director of Missions.
3. Adopted a job description for the Office Secretary.
4. Voted to transfer the balance of $574.55 from the James Robison Crusade to a savings account to be used for new mission work.
5. Approved the proposed budget for 1971-72.

BAPTIST FOUNDATION

Fred A. Carpenter

The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc., was organized in 1920. It has a fifteen-member Board of Directors elected by the Baptist State Convention. The policies and procedures of the Foundation and the support of the same is in the hands of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina. In other words, this is your Foundation, and you should know more about its services and activities.

During the past twelve months, the Foundation has had a gradual growth, in that several individuals and churches have made contracts with the Foundation to accomplish specific purposes such as: supporting an agency or institution of the Baptist State Convention, the Southern Baptist Convention, and worldwide objects. In one or two instances, individuals through their wills have added to existing memorials that were established during the lifetime of the donor. The Foundation stands ready to render service to individuals and churches as their requests are made known. We wish to serve you.

BROTHERHOOD

Jim L. Lowery

The Brotherhood Program is an important arm of the total ministry of the church. Its assigned roles are to advance the cause of Christ through a program of missionary education and mission promotion designed to inform, motivate and involve men and boys in the missions tasks of the church.

Brotherhood objectives are to lead men and boys to:

1. A deeper commitment to missions.
2. A more meaningful prayer life for missions.
3. A larger stewardship on behalf of missions.
4. A personal involvement in missions.

The South Fork Association has 26 churches involved in the Brotherhood Program. We have a total of 773 men and boys enrolled in our programs. Our ultimate goal is to see an active, involved Brotherhood Program in every church in the association. If we can be of any assistance to you in your work or help organize new work, please call on us.

Brotherhood Opportunities in the Future

Oct. 16	R. A. Leadership Conference, FBC, Shelby
25	Associational R. A. Leadership, East Maiden
Nov. 1-7	R. A. Week
Jan. 23	Baptist Men's Day
March 24-25	Baptist Men and Boys Convention, Charlotte
May 5	Brotherhood and R. A. Missions Rally, Boger City
Sept. 8-9	Brotherhood Leadership Workshop - Camp CaRAway
Sept. 22-23	Baptist Men's Retreat, Camp CaRAway

CHILDREN'S HOMES

Loyd Spencer, Jr.

Let a graduating senior express what it is like to live in one of our Baptist Children's Homes: "I really do not know how to write about a place which has been so fine, and which has given me the opportunity to worship, work, and learn; not only where we stand in moments of comfort and convenience, but where we stand in moments of challenge and moments of controversy. After all these years, one finally learns that certain values and practices are good and sound and help children to feel secure and happy."

This statement could be made by almost any senior regarding his home and community, for a child in the care of the Baptist Children's Homes has basically the same attitudes and values as other children. He differs from other children only in the tragic experiences which have made it necessary for him to live away from his family. For these children, it is our mission to provide loving care in the spirit of Jesus Christ. We want to work in harmony with what we sense God is doing in the life of each child, enabling the child to tap his own inner resources and grow to responsible adulthood.

The pursuit of this basic goal has led the Children's Homes to develop a variety of services, all family centered. Some families need resident care for their children and for these we have group homes and foster homes. Some families can remain together with outside help and for these we have family services in the form of counseling or financial assistance. For the unmarried girl who is pregnant, we offer maternity care. For the graduate in our care, we assist in higher education. For churches involved in day care, we provide a demonstration program and consultation service. We welcome individual inquiries regarding any of these services as the need may arise.

Our services are made available through strategically located facilities throughout North Carolina: in the East at Kinston, Pembroke, Fayetteville and Raleigh; in the Piedmont at Chapel Hill, Thomasville and Charlotte; in the West at Asheville and Waynesville.

Staff members and children of the Baptist Children's Homes are grateful for the harmonious relationship we have shared with North Carolina Baptists. The churches have expressed their confidence and support through increased Cooperative Program gifts and a 1970 Thanksgiving Offering of 380,000. Individuals continue to give generously and to become involved in our varied ministres. We accept this support as an investment in all that we are doing and we pledge ourselves to translate your investment into quality Christian child care.

CHRISTIAN ACTION LEAGUE

Ralpr Webb, Jr.

The Christian Action League exists for the purpose of combating: The Beverage Alcohol Evil; Gambling; Obscene Writings; Juvenile Deliquency and Narcotics.

The League carries out its work through three channels:

1. Education - This is done by teaching in the churches, religious assemblies, in the colleges and public schools. This program is beamed towards Junior and Senior high

school age students. In addition to lectures on alcohol, the following 16 mm sound movies areavailable for free distribution:

JUST ONE - a documentary on the effects of alcohol on brain cells.

VERDICT AT 1:3p - deals with drinking and driving.

IT'S THE BRAIN THAT COUNTS

THE CHOICE IS YOURS - showing physical effects of alcohol on the human body.

2. Information - (or literature of copies of a READER'S DIGEST article have been distributed across the state. This article,ALCOHOL AND YOUR BRAIN, gives the results of laboratory tests done by Dr. Melvin H. Knisley and his associates at the Medical University of South Carolina on the effects of alcohol on the brain cells. Approximately 5,000 copies of Marse Grant's book, "WHISKEY AT THE WHEEL" have been distributed.

   The League's publication TOMORROW is sent monthly to the pastors across the state. The religious and secular press are also used for this channel of the work.

3 Legislation - The League is committed to the support of persons for the General Assembly who stand for the principles upon which our League is based. The League has been active in the field of Legislation during the 1971 Session of the General Assembly of N. C. Actually, our largest achievement has been gained through a LEGISLATIVE INFORMATION SERVICE which simply communicates to you at home which issues of our concern are before the members of the General Assembly.

   It was through your efforts and the votes of your Representatives that House Bill No. 99 was defeated by a vote of 59 to 48. This bill would have called for local option elections on liquor-by-the-drink across North Carolina.

We call upon churches and individuals to support the work of the Christian Action League. Remember, all that is necessary for the triumph of evil is that good men do nothing.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Billy C. Hoffman

In order for our children to attend a Baptist college, they must pay a high instructional and board fee. Our Baptist colleges can not compete with State owned schools. The State, by law has the right to levy taxes to pay teacher's salaries and fees.

Our Baptist colleges are turning out many qualified young men and women to join the Christian task force in schools and churches. Many of the college graduates enter Seminary to prepare for the Pastorate, Educational Directors, Musicians, and Missionaries. If we want the services of men and women from Christian schools, and want our schools to operate in the "black", it behooves each one of us to give to our schools on Father's Day next June.

Last year there were thirteen thousand (13,000) students enrolled in our Baptist colleges and University. This was a gain of 654 over the 12,3g3 at the same date a year ago. Campbell enrolled 2,207; Mars Hill enrolled 1,524; Chowan enrolled 1,504; Meredith enrolled 1,284; Gardner-Webb enrolled 1,538; Wingate enrolled 1,624 and Wake Forest University enrolled 3,326.

CHRISTIAN LIFE COMMITTEE

Melvin D. Rabb

Everyone should be dedicated to the task of emphasizing Christianity. We can find aid in the articles of the Christian Life Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention. For instance, their "Issues and Answers" publications deal with everyday issues. In a realistic way, subjects are discussed and possible solutions given. The commission now has some 70 tracts in print and available for the churches to use in helping their members emphasize the practical dimensions of the Christian faith.

Your own Christian Life Committee stands ready to help in any way possible.

CHRISTIAN LITERATURE

L. Vernon Connell

At a time when some religious publications are losing circulation, it is good to report that the BIBLICAL RECORDER has passed 93,000--the highest circulation in its 138-year history. This circulation is a tribute to the Baptists of North Carolina who support the paper so faithfully.

Even though inflation continues to create problems, you can receive the RECORDER under the Church Budget Plan for the same price it was in 1960--only $2.00 a year. It is not known how long this reasonable price can be made available and that is all the more reason churches should enlist immediately.

The RECORDER likes to report all the good news it can about Baptists. The paper is prowd to be the instrument that communicates to the world what our denomination is doing. When evil needs to be exposed, however, the RECORDER does not shun it. This was evidenced again in the legislature this year as the liquor forces managed only small gains, and these may turn out to be unconstitutional. We are referring to the local option liquor by the drink elections in Moore and Mecklenburg Counties. The RECORDER stresses Christian citizenship. Perhaps this is one reason the paper continues to reach more people--it stands for something.

The RECORDER appreciates every reader and supporter. The cost is reasonable. You can receive the RECORDER under the Church Budget Plan for only 4c a week--half the cost of mailing a letter. There is no more economical way to have an informed membership than by sending the RECORDER TO every family.

CHURCH TRAINING

Melvin D. Rabb

The South Fork Baptist Association "M" Night was held at Reepsville Baptist Church on November 23, 1970. Rev. Ralph Webb, Pastor of Reepsville, was the speaker. Amity Baptist Church had the most members in attendance. Four churches in the Association had prior yearly averages of 70% or better. They were Amity, River View, Mt. Ruhama, and Pearl. Amity received the award for the best average attendance during the prior year.

The Church Training Department sponsored a training course on December 8 & 9 at River View Baptist Church. The leaders of this conference were well trained to lead us. They attended training sessions sponsored by the Convention Church Training staff.

On March 19 & 20, 1971 the Church Training Program sponsored Associational Youth Nights. These services were held at the First Baptist Church, Maiden. Youth from the Maiden area and Gardner-Webb College led the services. From all indications and reports, these services were well-received by our youth.

The Church Training Program is for you. If your church needs help in establishing a new program or strengthening your present one, please call the Church Training Director.

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

John McLeod

Executive

Three-year - Cecil L. Ballard — J. M. Sherrill
Chairman - Bob Hawley

Finance

Three-year - Charles N. Cranford — Fred Hawkins, Sr.
Chairman - Elliott Loftin

Missions

Three-year - Robert A. Cantwell — Dwight Carpenter
Chairman - D. Harding Caldwell

Nominating
Three-year - Coy H. Dellinger
Chairman - Alvin L. Hoyle

Program
Two-year - Charles Ingle
Three-year - Melvin D. Rabb
Chairman - Guy Helms

Evangelism
Three-year - B. J. Morris
Chairman - Ralph F. Webb, Jr.

Ordination
Three-year - Glenn Murphy
Chairman - Parks C. Harris

Resolutions
Three-year - Loyd Spencer
Chairman - Ernest W. Friday

Stewardship
Three-year - James F. Collette
Chairman - Billy C. Hoffman

Christian Life
Three-year - Fred A. Carpenter
Chairman - J. Willard Singletary

E. Z. Willis

Kennith Adams

Dr. Eph Whisenhunt

EVANGELISM

Robert A Cantwell

We should all be thankful to God for the renewed interest among youth in evangelism. This renewed interest has been evident throughout the country. Almost 20,000 youth and adults overflowed the Greensboro Coliseum and War Memorial Auditorium this past February 2 for the Youth Evangelism night. There were 1,519 decisions registered. The James Robinson Crusade here in South Fork Association made a tremendous impact upon the whole area for Christ. Multitudes of youth are involved in Christian witnessing in unique ways.

There is much interest in the new WIN materials on lay witnessing and the one week Lay Evangelism Schools. The first such school in our state will be November 1-7 in the Mecklenburg Association. We hope that a school will be possible for South Fork Association before too long. An evangelism clinic has been scheduled for January 20, 1972. Jesus reminds all of us of our task in Luke 24:48 "And ye are witnesses of these things." Our people will respond if they are challenged and trained.

The Division of Evangelism in cooperation with our Brotherhood Department and the N. C. United Methodist Conference is sponsoring four Regional Evangelism Conferences for Baptist and Methodist men this week. Lay evangelism will be the emphasis of these evening meetings. Dr. Ben Johnson of Atlanta, Georgia who has assisted Dr. Billy Graham and Dr. Ken Chafin in several conferences, and Dr. Ralph Neighbour of Houston, Texas will be the two main speakers. Rev. Bob Gibbons will be the guest soloist. Laymen will preside, share personal testimonies and have the Scripture and Prayer. The meeting for our area will be at the First Baptist Church in Hickory, Friday, 10/22, at 7:30 p.m.

The 26th Statewide Conference will be February 7-9, 1972 at the Cumberland County Memorial Auditorium in Fayetteville. The next Statewide Youth Evangelism Night will be on Friday evening, August 18, 1972 at Greensboro Coliseum.

Let up pray earnestly for the unsaved in our communities and around the world that through our efforts together the Holy Spirit may lead many persons to commit their lives to Jesus Christ.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Coy H. Dellinger

The executive committee of the South Fork Baptist Association met each month to carry on the work of the association. At each meeting we received a complete financial report which was unanimously adopted.

We approved the application of Charles Wade Dellnger, for Ministerial Aid Gardner-Webb College.

We approved application for $900.00, Ministerial Aid for Horace Crouse from the State Convention.

Calvary Baptist Church Newton was dismissed from our Association at their request to become members of the Theron Rankin Association.

We received a report about the James Robinson Crusade. A total of 2336 decisions, with 1584 of these being first time decisions.

We recommended to the associational board that Brother James McQuere be reimbursed $250.00, and Brother Charles Cranford $100.00 for expenses incurred before and during the crusade. This money to come out of a surplus from the sale of materials from the crusade and the balance of surplus money be deposited in the associational treasury.

Brother Darrell Saunders was elected to serve as parlimentarian for the unexpired term of Brother Eugene Elmore.

We approved sending $5.00 to Myra Motley as a gift of our appreciation for services rendered in our State Convention.

We recommended to the associational board that the associational office be moved to 1003 East Main Street, Maiden. Purpose to provide more space and make the office more accesible to the people of the association.

Brother Darrell Saunders was elected to serve as Royal Ambassador Leader of the association.

We approved the purchase of an air-conditioner for the associational office, price not to exceed One Hundred Dollars.

The following names were approved to be sent to the committee as nominees for the General Board of the Baptist State Convention: Earl Henry, D. Harding Caldwell, Elliott Loftin and Sam Lattimore.

The Oak Grove Baptist Mission made request and was accepted under the watchcare of the association.

We received the report of the activities of the Director of Missions at each meeting beginning with the month of June and each month thereafter.

We recommended to the associational board that the money left over from the James Robinson Crusade of $574.55 be transfered into savings for future mission work.

We voted to transfer the $150.00 mission money in the budget that was surplus this year into the savings account with the surplus from the crusade for future mission work.

The association's books were audited and found to be correct and well kept.

We were informed that the association is now free of debt.

FINANCE COMMITTEE PROPOSED BUDGET 1971-72

Cecil L. Ballard

Item	Proposal
Director of Missions Salary	$ 6,600.00
Car allowance	1,500.00
Denominational meetings	400.00
Retirement plan	660.00
Hospital Insurance	402.00
Life Insurance	314.00
Home utilities	550.00
Home telephone	100.00
Home upkeep & repair	1,500.00*
Office supplies, postage	900.00
Office rent	420.00
Office utilities	150.00
Office telephone	200.00
Office secretary	1,800.00
Christmas bonuses	125.00**
Associational Annuals	1,000.00***
Insurance	134.00
Clerk	200.00
Treasurer	200.00
Annual Meeting	150.00
Social Security	437.00
Sunday School	100.00
Church Traning	100.00
W. M. U.	375.00
Brotherhood	100.00
Music	50.00
Audio-visual aids	100.00
Evangelism committee	100.00
Missions committee	150.00
Miscellaneous	150.00
	$18,967.00

* $300.00 for upkeep and repairs. Balance designated for heating and air condition. In the event an emergency arises the trustees are instructed to install the necessary equipment at their discretion.

** Director of Missions - $100.00
Office Secretary - 25.00

*** This is based upon 5 copies for each church and additional copies of 1 for every 25 resident members.

The proposed budget for 1971-72 is $755.00 more than the adopted budget of this year. This we believe to be a very moderate increase, and one that is well within the range of our income. Each church contributing the suggested quota would more than provide adequate funds for support of Associational Missions.

FOREIGN MISSIONS

Charles Ingle

The sending out of missionaries is primary in Southern Baptist overseas missions through the channel of the Foreign Mission Board. At the close of 1970 the Board had an overseas missionary staff of 2,501. This included 165 missionary associates, 4 special project medical personnel, and 121 missionary journeymen. Appointments during the year totaled 182 (92 career, 18 associates, 64 journeymen, 1 special project medical couple, and 6 career re-appointments). Between January and May, 1971, 35 more were added.

Underlying all our missionary endevors is the ultimate purpose of leading people to new life in Jesus Christ and the cultivation of the New Testament churches. Organized churches with which Southern Baptist missionaries are related on mission fields now total 5,853, of which 75 percent are self-supporting. Work and accomplishments reported are largely those of national churches, leaders, and conventions, with the assistance of missionary co-workers and resources from Southern Baptist.

The program of hospitals and medical care serves the physical needs of thousands of people who would otherwise be neglected and often opens strategic doors for evangelistic witness. During 1970, missionaries and national workers engaged in this ministry treated more than 51,000 inpatients and saw nearly 930,000 outpatients.

At the end of 1970, Southern Baptist contributions for foreign missions totaled $31,503,218 (a per capita gift of $2.71, one cent more than in 1969). The 1970 Lottie Moon Christmas Offering had reached a total of $16,220,105 by May 1, 1971.

Approximately 50 percent of the Southern Baptist Convention Cooperative Program funds are made available annually for foreign missions. This is the basis upon which sustained advance can be built. Still needed urgently on overseas fields are land, buildings, and equipment, amounting to several million dollars' worth.

HISTORY

Mrs. Harmon James

AMITY - Entered new sanctuary January 1971.

BETHEL - Retired church debt and held note-burning, September 12, 1971.

DAVID MEMORIAL - Erected new auditorium.

FAITH - Ernest W. Friday retired.

LEONARD'S FORK - Retired Church debt.

LINCOLN AVENUE - Built a new pastorium

LINCOLNTON, FIRST - Purchased 16¼ acres on #321 By-Pass South at a cost of $88,275.00 for future church site.

LONG SHOALS - Retired the church debt and held note burning, June 1971.

MAIDEN, FIRST - Called Kennith Adams as Minister of Music and Education.

MATHIS CHAPEL - Erected a marker where the orginal church was built.

MT. ANDERSON - Built a new parsonage.

MT. RUHAMA - Air-Conditioned entire church. E. B. Elmore resigned February 14, 1971.

MOUNTAIN VIEW - Started construction of new fellowship building.

OAK GROVE - Organized, May 1971.

PEARL - Retired church debt and held note burning. Dedicated parsonage. Called Carrol Cooke.

PINEY GROVE - Called pastor Richard V. Martin, Jr., Baldwin Electric Organ given by W. R. Lee family.

ROSELAND - Built new fellowship hall and dedicated it in memory of Bruce Sutton, Sr.

SALEM - Dedicated sanctuary, November 1970.

SOUTHSIDE - Started reconstruction of sanctuary in spring of 1971. Old sanctuary destroyed by fire, June 14, 1969.

HOME MISSIONS

J. C. Beal

An extensive restructuring of the staff of the Home Mission Board climaxed the year 1970. The plan is to strengthen and expand the Board's efforts to assist churches in missions and evangelism.

At the close of 1970, there were 2,222 home missionaries which is thirteen less than 1969. This reduction was caused by the rising cost of living and a slowdown in giving.

Of these missionaries, approximately two-thirds are supported jointly with state conventions and serve in the fifty states, Puerto Rico and Panama.

A training plan was put into operation for lay evangelism, including materials, sp.ritual preparation, and training which prepares laymen in sharing their faith.

Southern Baptist ministers served as chaplains in the military, hospitals, institutions and industry. There were 617 on active duty with the military and 325 in other positions, in addition to 701 part-time chaplains. These ministers reported 11,086 professions of faith and 850 units of work started, such as new worship services, Bible classes or Sunday Schools.

About 350 new churches and church-type missions were established in 1970. Concerns for starting new work have been incorporated in SBC planning processes for the future.

"Extend Now", a method for starting new churches, is being promoted to make use of small group Bible study, community events, and scheduling of regular meetings. The plans will aid in ministering, witnessing, and starting new churches.

New conventions were organized for Pennsylvania-South Jersey and for West Virginia. The Baptist Convention of New York began functioning January 1, 1970.

Language missions for Southern Baptist includes 1,032 missionaries in 41 states, the District of Columbia, Cuba, Panama and Puerto Rico. New work was begun with the Japanese and Filipino people in Hawaii and with Spanish-speaking people in New Orleans. The work in Cuba continues in spite of hardships with an increase in baptism over the previous year.

Students summer missions personnel reached a new high of 940, sponsored by the Board and by BSU (202). These workers reported 6,645 professions of faith.

Missionaries reported people saved and led to use the Word of God to witness because of extensive distribution of Scriptures. The Division of Communication operated the distribution project in cooperation with the American Bible Society.

HOMES FOR THE AGING

J. Willard Singletary

Our North Carolina Baptist Homes for the Aging celebrated their 20th anniversary in March of this year. During these two decades, the story of our Homes has been one of faith and the abundant blessings of God upon this special ministry to older people. God has brought us from one Home, and one resident in 1951, to five Homes and a Nursing Care Unit, with total accommodations for 160 residents and 76 patients. Two of these Homes, Resthaven and the Hayes Home, and the Nursing Care Unit are located in Winston-Salem, and the other three Homes are located in Albemarle, Hamilton, and Yanceyville. In these Homes, our residents are loved, and we feel that there is no greater security that they could have and no better care that they could receive.

The past year has been one of the best ever, and we are rejoicing in the blessings that have come from God through our Baptist people. Support for the Homes from the churches, through the Cooperative Program and the Special Day Offering, has been encouraging. For the last three years, the Homes have had an alarming deficit and have operated in the red. We have not yet reached the point of operating in the black, but let us say, with hopeful optimism, that we are approaching this time. The deepened concern of our Baptist People and the increase in gifts have been strong contributing factors to the success of the past year.

At least 80% of the people who live in our Baptist Homes are financially needy persons and benefit directly from the love gifts of North Carolina Baptists. They simply could not be maintained, and the Homes could not be operated without the Special Offering, designated gifts from the churches, and the Cooperative Program. We would urge our Baptist people, therefore, to remember how dependent these dear older people are on them and would challenge them to give more liberally than ever and to see that their gifts are a real life-line in the on-going of this ministry.

Of unusual interest during the past year has been the construction of the new addition to the Nursing Care Unit in Winston-Salem. It is anticipated that this new facility will be ready for occupancy by September 1. It will make available 20 additional beds and bring the total capacity of the Nursing Care Unit to 70. This addition was made possible by the generous challenge gift of $80,000.00 from Judge and Mrs. William York, of Greensboro. The trustees accepted the challenge and raised and additional $80,000.00.

Pray for your Baptist Homes for the Aging and remember that any ministry to an older person in the name of Christ is a direct ministry to Him.

HOSPITAL

Darrell Saunders

Your Baptist Hospital admitted 17,557 persons in 1970 for a total of 150,174 days of care. In addition, there were 51,563 visits to outpatient clinics, including 17,241 to the Emergency Room. About 90% of these were "referral" patients -- that is, patients who were referred to our Hopsital by their local physicans because they needed the specialized medical care our Hospital is staffed and equipped to offer.

Our Hospital, from the day of its beginning, has provided good medical care for our people, including care for persons who cannot pay the cost. There has been great progress in medicine and tremendous increase in hospital costs, and these have made some policy changes necessary. The basic policy of providing care - now the highly specialized care for the more difficult cases -- for those who cannot pay has not been changed. This Christian ministry is at the heart of the work of our Baptist Hospital.

The financial situation of the Hospital is viewed by the administration with "cautious optimism". The operating deficit has been reduced and expenditures are being kept more nearly in line with income. The entire staff is cooperating in an effort to maintain a proper balance between sound financial policies and a spirit of Christian compassion.

The Medical Center Development Program is progressing on schedule. The new patient Tower is expected to be ready for partial occupancy by late 1972. The 14 bed coronary care unit will open about September, 1971. A statewide Development Campaign, initiated with pledges totaling $177,182 from employees of the Medical Center, is moving toward successful completion.

Baptist Hospital offers a ministry of healing in Christ's name to all who need it. It seeks to fulfill the same purpose in North Carolina that a Baptist Hospital operated by our Foreign Mission Board seeks to fulfill in Korea or Nigeria. It ought to be supported by missionary-minded Baptists with the same enthusiasm and for the same reason we support every phase of our denomination's World Mission Program. This is missions too.

This year, the Mother's Day offering from 40 of the churches in our Association was **$5,123.19.** Last year, 40 churches gave an offering of **$4,750.54.**

MISSIONS COMMITTEE

D. Harding Caldwell

The Oak Grove Church was fully constituted on May 30, 1971. This marked the culmination of five months of planning and preparation under the leadership of the association.

Surplus funds in the amount of $574.55 from the James Robison Crusade have been deposited in Investment Savings with the Carolina First National Bank, Lincolnton. The allocation of $150.00 for Missions in the budget for 1970-71 has been deposited to this same account. It is the feeling of the Missions Committee that we need to build a backlog for future work within the boundaries of our association.

1. We recommended that Oak Grove remain under the watchcare of the association until next year.
2. That Coral Park remain under the watchcare of the association and that the association give them guidance and help whenever requested.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Alvin L. Hoyle

Parliamentarian ---------- Darrell Saunders
Historian ---------- Mrs. Harmon James
Directer of Library Services ---------- Mrs. Reggie Deaton
Trustee ---------- J. M. Sherrill, Chairman
Trustee ---------- Bill Beard
Sunday School Director ---------- Melvin D. Rabb
Church Training Director ---------- Winfred Truner
Brotherhood Director ---------- Jim L. Lowery
Music Director ---------- Douglas A. Ledford

Special Assigments

American Bible Society - Glenn Murphy
Annuity Board - Parks C. Harris
Baptist Foundation - Joe D. Drum
Children's Homes - Bill R. Miller
Christian Action League - Billy C. Beaver
Christian Education - Charles N. Cranford
Christian Literature - Paul U. McAlpine
Homes for the Aging - Henry Ikerd
Hospital - Coy H. Dellinger
South Mountain Camp - Jim L. Lowery
Stewardship - Billy C. Hoffman
Foreign Missions - B. J. Morris
Home Missions - James F. Collette
State Missions - Cecil L. Ballard

South Mountain Camp Representatives

Robert Anthony
Bob Hawley
Earl Henry
Roy Houk
Jim L. Lowery

Scholarship Commission

Three-year - Joe Bondurant
Chairman - John McLeod
Mrs. Charles R. Estep

QUOTAS AND CONTRIBUTIONS

Churches	Quota 1970-71	Contributions	Quota 1971-72*
Amity	$ 297.22	$ 208.00	$ 498.68
Antioch	490.91	100.00	657.04
Bethel	199.73	144.00	260.40
Boger City	895.44	762.67	810.04
Calvary, Lincolnton	584.19	586.74	608.77
Calvary, Newton	365.54	20.00	-0-
Cedar Grove	245.74		267.10
Center View	484.28	200.00	367.50
Coral Park	41.46		23.36
Craig Memorial	275.31	271.68	284.08
Crouse	131.53	125.00	149.77
David Memorial	185.50	50.00	279.42
Faith	253.21	253.21	246.73
Fellowship	190.54	221.70	180.76
Friendly Chapel	334.25	213.50	276.17
Gainsville	505.54	589.71	457.96
Howard's Creek	3.50	21.00	21.00
Hudson Chapel	178.41	85.00	176.05
Hull's Grove	426.21	426.21	498.65
Lawing's Chapel	340.69	240.00	360.82
Leonard's Fork	222.37	297.37	185.10
Lincoln Avenue	813.49	813.49	766.29
Lincolnton, First	1,741.83	967.97	1,769.06
Lincolnton, North	70.82		70.82
Lincolnton, West	175.00		148.75
Long Shoals	196.46	196.46	211.16
Macedonia	427.21	428.00	411.99
Maiden, East	703.80	590.00	780.48
Mailen, First	1,303.54	1,234.36	1,405.95
Massapoag	195.88	195.88	197.05
Mathis Chapel	139.44	139.44	155.54
Mount Anderson	328.03	285.00	356.42
Mount Ruhama	1,056.90	1,019.25	1,112.51
Mount Zion	345.12	372.00	353.76
Mountain View	484.89	484.89	565.11
North Brook	277.43	277.43	270.73
Oak Grove		50.00	218.75
Olivet	306.25	305.01	385.26
Pearl	461.88	400.00	546.39
Piney Grove	371.75	110.00	369.81
Poole's Chapel	187.08		187.08
Reepsville	632.82	425.00	589.58
River View	557.29	558.00	549.69
Roseland	60.62	80.62	97.56
Salem	693.00	700.00	682.78
Sharon	283.05	100.00	251.55
Southside	1,066.05	733.26	1,039.47
Temple	49.32	49.32	49.32
Westport	136.59	38.36	131.09
Westside	356.23	5.00	370.14
TOTALS	$20,073.33	$15,374.53	$20,653.49

*Based on 1¾% of receipts shown on Table G 1970 Annual.

SCHOLARSHIP COMMISSION

Earl Henry

Balance on hand as of 10/1/70	$1,539.18
Repayment of loans	275.00
Interest	41.00
Total Cash on hand as of 9/30/71	1,855.18

SOUTH MOUNTAIN BAPTIST CAMP

T. A. Lineberger

You can rejoice in the victories at your camp this year. We, the the staff at South Mountain witnessed many thrilling experiences during the summer. Over 3,500 came for some type of organized activity this season. 1970 attended our camps. Hundreds came by for a visit. 121 attended from your Association.

We had 1150 decisions for Christ. Of these 317 were professions of faith.

We maintained a dedicated staff of 22 - 25 whom God used in a wonderful way. They went into fifteen churches on week ends to sing, show slides and give testimonies about their experiences with Christ at camp. We are deeply grateful to them for this extra service rendered to the Camp.

Johnny and Rhea Ross were the very able assistants of T. A. Lineberger, Camp Director. Your director is very much indebted to his whole family for the success of the Camp. Our Theme for the year was, "Showing Christ to the World". Rhea Ross wrote a new song to help remind the campers that every Christian has the responsibility of showing Christ to the world. Each week during the summer we had a Missionary to help give each one a worldwide vision of our responsibility. Campers studied organization work each day.

We had a good year financially. During the year we deposited $30,500.00 into the general fund, Operating expenses were $22,700.00. During the year we paid off a $9,000.00 note plus $700.00 interest. Funds came in well during the year for the Chapel. $4,177.00 is in this fund now.

Immediate Needs: Caretakers home to be built, winterize buildings, sow grass in play area, fix crossing at river, build bunk beds, build Chapel, finish Missionary Cottage, increase Water Supply.

Improvements during the year: Painted assembly building, two cottages and store; covered water line, landscaping, enlarged play area, graded road to missionary cottage, paved basketball court, built office, and sowed grass.

STATE MISSIONS

Floyd Kirksey

In North Carolina, State Missions strengthens and lengthens our churches. Strengthening ministries include Sunday School, Church Training, WMU and Brotherhood, etc. These organizations help our churches to realize their potential in relation to missions. State Missions ties into all of this by providing resources and personnel that aide in the development of these ministries. Workshop, seminars, and conferences are held each year that deal directly with the strengthening of these organizations. State Missions help our local churches to be a mission station.

Lengthening ministries include those that involve all churches working together. Some examples of these ministries include Urban Missions, Interracial Cooperation, Chaplaincy, Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute, Resort Ministries, Ministry to the Deaf, etc. These are specialized programs that require the continued support of well-trained personnel. Many of these ministries are co-sponsored with the Southern Baptist Convention who provide home missionaries, as well as other resources.

Other extending ministries include Literacy Work, Migrant Missions, Mountain Missions, and Youth and Family Services. Altogether, State Missions involves over 50 different ministries across North Carolina. These programs serve as a vital link in the total World Mission Program and responsibility of North Carolina Baptists.

We have State Missions for the same reason we have other missions: to make disciples for Christ. The Bible says in Matthew 28:19 for us to go into all the world and tell others about Christ. State Missions is only a small part of the worldwide missions, but it is definitely a necessary part. As we all know of the tragedy at Fruitland Bible Institute this year, the burning of the classroom building, let us put forth a little extra effort in our State Missions Program and give a little more aide in the rebuilding of this vital building. Our State Missions goal this year is basically $250,000.00, however, the urgent need is for $50,000.00 more or $300,000.00 in all to help replace this building. Any amount over $250,000.00 will be used for this purpose.

Are you, as a Christian, giving as much as God tells you to give to help out the cause of Jesus Christ here in our state of North Carolina and around the world?

STEWARDSHIP

W. R. Kimberlin

In a day when many major denominations are cutting back their missions programs we are pleased to report that Southern Baptists are making large advances. Cooperative Program receipts at the Southern Baptist Convention level are well ahead of a year ago. This will, no doubt, be a record year.

North Carolina Baptist believe that the Cooperative Program is the best way to do mission work because:

1. It is motivated by the Great Commission. The Cooperative Program did not create cooperation on the part of Baptist churches; the desire of the New Testament churches to give the gospel to the world created the Cooperative Program (Luke 24:45-48; Acts 1:8).
2. It is rooted in New Testament practices (II Cor. 16:1-3).
3. It is the product of generations of the best Baptist leadership.
4. It gives hope for the future.

Therefore our prayerful concern and goal is to help the churches of our association grow in support to the Cooperative Program. We ask:

1. That our churches keep in mind the inflationary trends of our economy and plan to increase their contributions to missions.
2. That every church observe Cooperative Program Month, October each year.
3. That every church observe Cooperative Program Day on the third Sunday in April.
4. That contributions through the Cooperative Program be on a percentage basis rather than a fixed dollar figure. To implement a program of percentage increase to world missions through the Cooperative Program we suggest:
   a. For churches giving under 20%, advance 2% each year up to 20%.
   b. For churches giving 20% but under 30% level, advance 1% each year to 30%.
   c. For churches reaching the 30% level, advance ½% each year until the objective set by the church is reached.

The Moderator, the Convention's Board member, our Director of Missions, and your Cooperative Program representative in this association, plus your Regional Cooperative Program Consultant and R. Tom Greene of the Baptist State Convention office are delighted to offer friendly service to aid your aim of increased Cooperative Program sharing. On your invitation we stand ready to assist in every possible way.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Billy C. Beaver

This year has been a year of transition in Sunday School, in as much as the old curriculum was phased out and churches began to use the new curriculum effective October 1, 1970.

The new materials are offered in seven series: Convention Uniform, Life and work, Forefront, Foundation, Support, Campus Ministries, and Program Helps. Each series has its own characteristics which serves as an aid to a church in choosing the literature which will best meet its wants and needs.

The basic study and program materials are in periodical form. This means that the contents are new each month or each quarter. This provides a greater degree of freshness and currency. It also makes possible the use of the most economical channel of distribution to the churches. However, there is a wide variety of special study and supplementary materials in semi-permanent form which gives additional choices of curriculum to the churches.

We anticipate growth in Sunday School enrollment as a result of new curriculum and other changes that have taken place in Sunday School work during this decade of the 70's.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Mrs. J. E. Helms

Beginning Balance - October 1, 1970		$ 817.66
Plus - Receipts:		
Church Contributions	$15,374.53	
State Withholding Tax	148.92	
Sales Tax Refund (N. C.)	166.55	
Miscellaneous	887.00	16,577.00
TOTAL CASH		$17,394.66
Less - Disbursements:		
Director of Missions Salary	$6,300.00	
Car allowance	1,200.00	
Denominational meetings	415.00	
Retirement plan	399.96	
Hospital insurance	366.00	
Life Insurance	212.24	
Home utilities	440.89	
Home telephone	79.70	
Home upkeep and repair	39.22	
Office supplies, postage	895.84	
Office rent	420.00	
Office utilities	124.84	
Office telephone	191.94	
Office Secretary	1,680.00	
Christmas bonuses	125.00	
Associational annuals	834.30	
Insurance	115.00	
Clerk	200.00	
Treasurer	200.00	
Annual meeting	104.89	
Sunday School	76.10	
Church Training	86.96	
Women's Missionary Union	375.00	
Brotherhood	73.79	
Audio-Visual aids	110.00	
Evangelism Committee	50.00	
Missions Committee	150.00	
Debt retirement	828.57	
Miscellaneous	450.30	
N. C. Department of Revenue	148.92	
Designated	45.00	16,739.46
Balance on hand - September 30, 1971		$ 655.20

TRUSTEES REPORT

J. M. Sherrill

The Association has $20,000.00 replacement value insurance on the home, $6,000.00 on contents and 5 and 10 thousand dollars liability.

Assets:	
Value of home	$18,000.00
Office equipment	1,200.00
Cash - Checking Account	655.20
- Savings Account	724.55
Total Assets	$20,579.75
Liabilities:	
None	
Net Resources	$20,579.75

WOMANS MISSIONARY UNION

Mrs. J. E. Helms

Womans Missionary Union has had another year of adjusting to change, this year being organization and magazine names. We must be willing to change our methods to meet the needs today. Our purpose has been and shall remain to help our churches fulfill Christ's purpose on earth.

Boger City Church was a most gracious host for our Annual meeting on April 6. Our special guest speakers were the Reverend and Mrs. Troy Bennett, missionaries on furlough from Pakistan.

The Executive Board held their quarterly meetings. Host churches - Boger City, Reepsville, Piney Grove and Pearl.

Baptist Women's Banquet was held at Lincolnton High School Cafeteria, November 7, with 234 present. Theme was "Living for Christ In Openness and Freedom". Special guest speaker was Mrs. Otis Brady, missionary on furlough from Guyana.

The first Baptist Young Women's Banquet was held at Love Memorial Elementary Cafeteria on March 6 with approximately 40 attending. Theme was "Prayer is the Key" and special guest speaker was Mrs. Troy Bennett, missionary to Pakistan.

Acteens held their Banquet at Balls Creek Cafeteria on April 23. Theme was "Wake Up To Jesus"! Special guest speaker was Reverend Stanley Howard, pastor Alexis Baptist Church and 3 young ladies to share their testimony.

An Acteen and Girls in Action Foreign Mission Study was held at Maiden First on November 16 with an attendance of 302. A great night for our young people.

An Acteen and Royal Ambassador Cookout was held at the Pumpkin Center Club House on July 24. A time of recreation, food and fellowship. An inspirational period was led by a team from Gardner-Webb College.

A GA Picnic was held on June 5 at Cross Country Camp Ground with an overflow attendance of 238.

The Baptist Womens Banquet will be **November 18, 1971,** at West Lincoln High School Cafeteria. The Baptist Young Womens Banquet will be March 3, 1972. The next Annual Meeting will be April 4, 1972 at the Mt. Ruhama Church.

We are looking forward to a greater year in 1971-72 and more avenues of service in His Name. We are grateful to God for the privilege of participating in missions through our Woman's Missionary Union and on your invitation we stand ready to assist you in every possible way, for we feel that we are truly "Laborers Together with God".

JAMES ROBISON CRUSADE

James B. McQuere

Eternity alone will reveal the actual results of the James Robison Crusade held May 16-23, 1971 at the stadium located at Battlegroud School, Lincolnton. Eight nights of near perfect weather brought unusual crowds to hear the powerful preaching of James Robison, the singing of John McKay, accompanied at the organ by Richey Craig and Reba Ware at the piano. The Holy Spirit moved mightily in our midst. In response to the invitation given each evening there were recorded a total of 2,336 decisions. Of these 1,584 were first time decisions to accept Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour. These decisions were followed-up and each church given as a preference was notified.

A total of $28,306.82 was given. $11,42737 of this amount was designated as a love offering to the James Robison Evangelistic Association, Hurst, Texas. These gifts came from our churches, individuals and offerings taken at the Crusade.

Many people had a part with their prayers, gifts and time. We thank God for each one and the contribution they made. We are grateful to God for all that He has done and our hearts sing out "To God Be the Glory".

In Memoriam

AMITY
Mr. E. P. Hoke
Mr. Ira Sisk

ANTIOCH
Mr. B. P. Poarch
Mr. Jim Shuford

BOGER CITY
Mrs. Carl McGinnis

CALVARY
Mr. Sidney Baxley

CEDAR GROVE
Mrs. Susie Williams

CENTER VIEW
Deacon Walter W. Laney

FAITH
Mr. Rickie Smith

FRIENDLY CHAPEL
Mr. Kenneth Foxx

GAINSVILLE
Mr. Franklin Eugene Johnson

HUDSON CHAPEL
Mrs. W. R. Hudspeth
Mrs. J. C. Pope

HULL'S GROVE
Mr. Dan DiCiaccio

LAWING' CHAPEL
Mr. Cecil Ellis
Mr. Will Gant
Mrs. Maude Lawing

LEONARD'S FORK
Mr. John Heavner
Mrs. Junie Reynolds

LINCOLN AVENUE
Mr. Ernest Kiser
Mrs. R. L. Lawing
Mr. William Silmon

LINCOLNTON, FIRST
Mrs. J. O. Bumgarner
Mr. W. E. Denton
Mrs. W. E. Denton
Mrs. Fred Ellis
Mr. Kenneth Goodson
Deacon Lawrence M. Hoke
Mrs. Harold Honeycutt
Mr. B. G. McAlister

LONG SHOALS
Mrs. Tylene Broome Rash
Mr. Roy Yarborough

MACEDONIA
Mrs. Connie Brown
Deacon Latt Cash
Mrs. Alma Crouse
Mrs. Edna Watts

MAIDEN, EAST
Mrs. Ola Benfield
Miss Leo Gilleland
Mrs. Willie Belle Glenn
Mr. Fred Ingle

MAIDEN, FIRST
Mrs. C. E. Dagenhardt
Mrs. Luther Daves
Mrs. G. J. Lee

MASSAPOAG
Deacon Tom Sigmon

MT. ANDERSON
Mr. Ray Smith

MT. RUHAMA
Miss Mary Jane Abernethy
Mr. Adolphus M. Caldwell
Mr. Calvin S. Caldwell
Mrs. Carl Davis
Mr. Roy O. Smith, Sr.

MT. ZION
Mrs. Howard Webb

MOUNTAIN VIEW
Mrs. Rbecca B. Gasaway
Deacon Carl F. Killian

In Memoriam

OLIVET
- Mr. Charlie Eades
- Mr. Dewey Eades

PINEY GROVE
- Mr. Robert Caldwell

REEPSVILLE
- Mr. John Haynes
- Mrs. Durham Logan
- Mr. Everette Mode

RIVER VIEW
- Mrs. E. O. Atkins
- Mrs. E. L. Beal
- Mr. Jim Cook
- Miss Alice Poovey
- Mrs. Daisy Willis

SALEM
- Mr. Marshall Dellinger

SHARON
- Deacon Fred Riddle
- Mrs. Fred Riddle
- Mrs. John Smith

WESTPORT
- Mrs. Oscar Skipper

HISTORICAL TABLES

Year	Place of Meeting	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher of Annual Sermon
1878	Kid's Chapel	W. A. Graham	J. H. Booth	D. W. Thamasson
1879	Hickory Grave	W. A. Graham	J. G. Hill	T. H. Pritchard
1880	Mount Ruhama	W. A. Graham	J. G. Hill	J. R. Janes
1881	Ezra Mull's Chapel	W. A. Graham	P. M. Mull	J. F. Marris
1882	Salem	W. A. Graham	P. M. Mull	J. K. Faulkner
1883	Mount Zion	J. K. Faulkner	L. A. Abernethy	J. K. Faulkner
1884	Mauntain Grave	J. F. Morris	W. W. Bridges	J. F. Morris
1885	Sandy Plains	W. A. Graham	Azor Shell	J. K. Faulkner
1886	Kid's Chapel	W. A. Graham	Robert A. Keever	N. B. Cobb
1887	Macedonia	W. A. Graham	Robert A. Keever	J. F. Morris
1888	Warlick's Chapel	J. F. Morris	J. Thomas McLean	W. R. Gwaltney
1889	Olivet	W. A. Graham	J. Thomas McLean	W. A. Pool
1890	Mount Zian	W. A. Graham	S. A. Stroup	D. P. Bridges
1891	Hickory, First	W. A. Graham	J. Thomas McLean	J. A. Hayle
1892	Olivet	W. A. Graham	A. W. Setzer	A. W. Setzer
1893	Bruingtan	C. M. Murchison	J. Thomas McLean	C. M. Murchison
1894	Maiden, First	C. M. Murchison	J. Thomas McLean	E. F. Jones
1895	Newton, First	C. S. Cashwell	L. A. Abernethy	E. F. Jones
1896	Gastonia, First	W. A. Graham	J. R. Lewis	C. S. Cashwell
1897	Kid's Chapel	W. A. Graham	L. A. Abernethy	D. M. Austin
1898	Penelope	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	C. H. Durham
1899	Mount Holly	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	W. R. Gwaltney
1900	Bethel	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	J. L. Vipperman
1901	Olivet	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	W. F. Watsan
1902	McAdensville	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	J. W. Watson
1903	Maiden, First	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	W. F. Gwaltney
1904	Hickory, First	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	J. W. Watson
1905	Dallas	W. A. Graham	R. S. Lewis	P. H. Purnell
1906	Lincolnton, First	W. A. Graham	R. S. Lewis	W. H. Reddish
1907	Olivet	W. A. Graham	R. S. Lewis	Baylus Cade
1908	Gasonia, First	W. A. Graham	J. D. Moore	R. D. Carroll
1909	Corinth	W. A. Graham	R. L. Sigmon	J. D. Harte
1910	Mount Zion	Osbarne Brawn	R. L. Sigman	A. W. Setzer
1911	Long Creek	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	R. D. Carrall
1912	Maiden, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	I. T. Newton
1913	Mount Holly	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. J. Beach
1914	Macedonia	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. C. Barrett
1915	West Hickory	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. S. Connel
1916	East Gastonia	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. D. Harte
1917	Newton, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	F. M. Huggins
1918	Belmont, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. L. Vipperman
1919	Lincolnton, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. R. Bradshaw
1920	Mountain Grove	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. W. Rimmer
1921	Lawing's Chapel	Osbarne Brown	J. F. Click	W. R. Bradshaw
1922	River View	J. A. Snow	J. F. Click	H. C. Whitener
1923	Catawba	J. A. Snow	J. F. Click	H. R. Freeman
1924	Penelope	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	C. M. Robinson
1925	Lincolnton, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	T. C. Singleton
1926	Macedonia	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	C. D. Barton
1927	Corinth	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. A. Ivey
1928	Mount Ruhama	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	R. G. Short
1929	Mount Zion	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	E. F. Hardin
1930	Warlick's	Osborne Brown	R. H. Harrill	C. F. Pittman
1931	Maiden, First	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	J. R. Cantrell
1932	Mountain Grove	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	M. I. Harris
1933	Olivet	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	R. K. Redwine
1934	Macedonia	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	W. W. Marr
1935	Providence	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	T. H. Roach
1936	River View	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	W. R. Bradshaw
1937	Catawba	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	E. F. Sullivan
1938	Boger City	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	C. H. Hendersan

HISTORICAL TABLES (CONTINUED)

Year	Place of Meeting	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher of Annual Sermon
1939	North Newton	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	L. A. McClure
1940	Lincolnton, First	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	O. C. Ulmer
1941	Mount Ruhama	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	Y. C. Elliott
1942	Penelope	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	H. B. Jones
1943	Maiden, First	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	C. C. Holland
1944	Hickory, First	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	J. Louis Price
1945	Boger City	L. L. Hatfield	R. T. Boatwright	R. C. Shearin
1946	Highland, Newton First	L. L. Hatfield	R. T. Boatwright	R. K. Benfield
1947	Catawba, Macedonia	L. L. Hatfield	R. T. Boatwright	R. G. Mace
1948	Brown Memorial, Olivet	L. A. McClure	R. T. Boatwright	E. F. Sullivan
1949	Center View, Salem	L. A. McClure	Fritz D. Hemphill	L. R. Williams
1950	Lincoln Ave., Warlick's	L. A. McClure	Fritz D. Hemphill	Wyman E. Wood
1951	Mt. Ruhama, W. Hickory	R. K. Benfield	Fritz D. Hemphill	Ben R. Coley
1952	Gainesville, Lawing's Chapel	R. K. Benfield	Fritz D. Hemphill	Harold M. White
1953	Lincolnton, 1st, Mtn. Grove	R. K. Benfield	Fritz D. Hemphill	Victor L. Andrews
1954	Mountain View, Amity	E. F. Sullivan	Fritz D. Hemphill	Harvey Laughter
1955	Penelope, Southside	Fritz D. Hemphill	Miss Helen Cater	Fritz D. Hemphill
1956	River View, Salem	Latt Beshears	Alvin A. Walker	Woodrow D. Flynn
1957	Lincolnton, First, Reepsville	Latt Beshears	Alvin A. Walker	Linwood Peterson
1958	Boger City, Mt. Zion	Latt Beshears	Alvin A. Walker	A. R. Waters
1959	Long Shoals, E. Maiden	J. D. Hillman	Alvin A. Walker	Eddie Reynolds
1960	Lawing's Chapel, Maiden 1st	J. D. Hillman	Alvin A. Walker	Herbert Miller
1961	Lincoln Ave., Southside	Eddie Reynolds	Alvin A. Walker	Wayne Haynes
1962	Mt. Ruhama, Center View	C. H. Greene	Alvin A. Walker	Riley N. Huckaby
1963	East Maiden, Mt. Anderson	C. H. Greene	Alvin A. Walker	R. E. Hicks
1964	Olivet, Leonard's Fork	D. Harding Caldwell	Alvin A. Walker	Fred E. Thompson
1965	Mtn. View, Mt. Zion	D. Harding Caldwell	Alvin A. Walker	R. W. Morrow
1966	Gainesville, Reepsville	Richard E. Hicks	D. Harding Caldwell	Frank Taylor
1967	Lincolnton, First, Antioch	Richard E. Hicks	Robert M. Garrett	Cecil L. Ballard
1968	Salem, Hull's Grove	E. B. Elmore	Mrs. W. F. Henry	E. W. Friday
1969	Maiden, First, River View	E. B. Elmore	Mrs. W. F. Henry	Robert M. Garrett
1970	Mt. Ruhama, Boger City	Charles N. Cranford	Mrs. J. B. McQuere	D. Harding Caldwell
1971	Lawing's Chapel, Lincoln Ave.	Charles N. Cranford	Mrs. J. E. Helms	Earl Henry

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION YEAR ENDING September 30, 1971 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork

State: North Carolina

Associational Clerk: Mrs. J. E. Helms

Address: P. O. Box 461 City: Maiden State: North Carolina Zip: 28650

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	County	1 Year organized as a church	2 Loc (1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-0)	3 Services held twice on Sunday? Y	3 Services held twice on Sunday? N	3 If no, services held on 1st Sunday M	1st Sunday E	2nd Sunday M	2nd Sunday E	3rd Sunday M	3rd Sunday E	4th Sunday M	4th Sunday E	5th Sunday M	5th Sunday E	4 Total Baptisms	5 Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	6 Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	7 Present resident members	8 Present nonresident members	9 Grand total present members	10 No. members received from non-Baptist denominations	11 No. members lost to non-Baptist denominations	16 Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	17 Value of Church property incl. pastor's home	18 Total church debt at end of this associational year
Amity	Winfred M. Turner, Rt. 1, Denver 28037	Lincoln	1905	1	x												38	6	17	204	65	269	4	0	20,000	140,000	50,55[illegible]
Antioch	Grady Parker, Rt. 3, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1921	1	x												76	34	12	325	107	432	9	0	35,000	135,000	17,256
Bethel	Alvin Hoyle, Rt. 5, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1892	1	x												16	15	3	99	120	219	0	0	15,000	65,000	0
Boger City	B. J. Morris, 2201 E.Main St.,Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1922	4	x												43	18	18	576	40	616	0	0	35,000	300,000	0
Calvary		Lincoln	1952	2	x												15	1	24	252	40	292	0	0	35,000	120,000	13,000
Cedar Grove		Catawba	1902	1	x												14	2	6	120	5	125	4	0	15,000	62,000	2,400
Center View	Parks C. Harris,Rt.2, Maiden 28650	Catawba	1915	1		x	x		x		x		x		x		10	3	7	254	27	281	0	1	25,000	125,000	0
Coral Park	Marshall Black,Rt. 1,Crouse 28033	Lincoln	1969	1		x	x		x		x		x		x		2	2	0	34	0	34	0	0	0	20,000	4,000
Craig Memorial	James F. Collette,Rt.1,Box 168,Stanley 28164	Gaston	1938	1	x												13	8	12	92	92	184	0	0	24,000	64,000	12,294
Crouse	John C. Beal,Rt.2,Box 135, Maiden 28650	Lincoln	1954	2	x												1	2	0	49	2	51	0	0	0	0	0
David Memorial	Loyd Spencer, Jr.,Rt.1 Rhyne Rd.,Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1952	1	x												8	6	2	94	37	131	0	0	0	100,000	37,606
Faith	Charles Ingle, Rt.1, Iron Station 28080	Lincoln	1905	1	x												23	14	7	160	18	178	7	4	18,000	54,000	4,182
Fellowship		Lincoln	1965	1	x												3	3	7	80	3	83	0	0	0	30,000	52,736
Friendly Chapel	Willard Singletary, Rt.1, Maiden 28650	Lincoln	1948	1	x												4	3	10	129	25	154	0	1	12,000	92,000	640
Gainsville	L. Vernon Connell, Rt.1, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1922	1	x												4	27	2	232	0	232	1	0	15,000	102,000	3,000
Howard's Creek	Henry Ikerd, PO Box 417, Dallas 28034	Lincoln	1950	1	x												0	3	3	40	10	50	0	2	0	0	2,126
Hudson Chapel	Paul U. McAlpine, Rt.2,Box 14, Catawba 28609	Catawba	1942	1	x												0	3	7	85	4	89	0	0	15,000	75,000	2,223
Hull's Grove	Cecil L. Ballard, Rt.2, Vale 28168	Lincoln	1897	1	x												5	5	4	290	55	345	0	0	20,000	80,000	0
Lawing's Chapel	Darrell Saunders, Rt.2, Maiden 28650	Catawba	1907	1		x	x		x		x		x		x		17	2	10	242	35	277	0	0	30,000	125,000	0
Leonard's Fork		Lincoln	1873	1		x	x		x		x		x		x		7	2	12	170	0	170	0	0	19,000	75,000	0
Lincoln Avenue	Earl Henry, PO Box 441, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1910	4	x												24	16	13	364	35	399	2	3	48,000	267,500	35,147
Lincolnton,First	Robert A. Cantwell,PO Box 714,Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1859	4	x												22	23	27	526	198	724	1	1	40,000	375,000	12,000
Lincolnton,North	Ray Manus, Rt. 5, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1950																							
Lincolnton, West		Lincoln	1954	1	x												3	12	4	84	0	84	0	0	0	30,000	6,399
Long Shoals	Joe D. Drum, Rt.4,Box 300,Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1901	2	x												25	19	6	208	3	211	0	0	20,000	120,000	7,401

Macedonia	Carl E. Helms, Rt.3,Box 142,Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1834	1		x	x		x		x		x		x		23	4	16	333	0	333	0	1	45,000	125,000	0
Maiden, East	Melvin D. Rabb, Box 386, Maiden 28650	Catawba	1927	3	x				x	x	x	x	x	x	x	0	30	4	49	382	65	447	4	0	20,000	220,000	0
Maiden, First	Billy C. Beaver, Box 336, Maiden 28650	Catawba	1891	4	x												42	7	18	688	127	815	3	1	30,000	500,000	71,816
Massapoag	Floyd Kirksey, Rt. 2, Box 131, Catawba 28609	Lincoln	1952	4	x												3	3	2	114	6	120	0	0	0	51,000	11,034
Mathis Chapel	A. V. Lockee, 501 S. Rhyne St.,Lincolnton 28092	Catawba	1951	1	x												14	16	11	129	15	144	0	0	0	30,000	2,248
Mt. Anderson	Fred A. Carpenter,Rt.1, Maiden 28650	Catawba	1953	1													25	25	4	255	10	265	0	0	40,000	135,000	35,000
Mt. Ruhama		Catawba	1816	1	x												24	10	37	514	66	580	0	2	36,000	325,000	0
Mt. Zion	Billy R. Miller, Rt.1, Box 218, Alexis 28006	Lincoln	1869	1	x												6	11	4	155	17	172	3	0	18,000	75,000	0
Mountain View	D. Harding Caldwell,Rt.1,Box216A,Maiden 28650	Catawba	1854	1	x												18	12	12	275	27	302	7	1	30,000	150,000	0
North Brook	Coy H. Dellinger, Rt.1,Cherryville 28021	Lincoln	1913	1	x												2	10	7	174	107	281	0	0	25,000	100,000	0
Oak Grove	Horace Crouse,Rt.2, Box 246-C,Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1971	1	x												33	25	6	145	36	181	0	1	25,000	55,000	16,400
Olivet	Bill Hoffman, PO Box 5C, Long Island 28648	Catawba	1833	1		x	x		x		x		x		x		1	3	6	248	39	287	0	2	17,500	159,500	6,000
Pearl	Glenn Murphy, Rt. 1, Iron Station 28080	Lincoln	1944	1	x												30	18	15	282	49	331	0	0	29,000	114,000	11,700
Piney Grove	Richard V. Martin, Jr., Rt.2, Newton 28658	Catawba	1904	1		x	x		x		x		x				5	8	9	183	27	210	0	2	35,000	160,000	6,208
Poole's Chapel	Thomas B. Harris, Rt.1, Denver 28037	Lincoln	1871																								
Reepsville	Ralph Webb, Jr., Rt. 1, Vale 28168	Lincoln	1888	1	x												14	4	5	297	25	322	0	1	30,000	250,000	7,700
River View	Jim L. Lowery,Rt.4,Box 446,Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1897	2	x												14	6	13	273	32	305	3	1	22,000	175,000	49,920
Roseland		Lincoln	1945	2	x												8	4	7	32	57	89	0	1	0	25,000	4,085
Salem	Charles N. Cranford, POBox 676,Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1842	1	x												58	13	27	350	86	436	2	0	10,000	182,000	66,847
Sharon	J. D.McAllister,Rt.1,Iron Station 28080	Lincoln	1884	1		x	x		x		x		x		x		12	16	9	138	25	163	0	0	14,000	100,000	11,183
Southside	W.R.Kimberlin,Rt.4,Box115,Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1925	1	x												49	23	188	284	103	387	0	2	15,000	185,000	8,000
Temple	Jack Chandler,Box138, Catawba 28609	Lincoln	1941	2	x												24	10	29	58	5	63	4	0	0	20,000	4,905
Westport	Guy P.Helms,Box 63,Rt.1, Maiden 28650	Lincoln	1966	1		x	x		x		x		x		x		25	18	8	102	10	112	0	0	0	23,000	6,731
Westside	Harold Townsend,501 W. Main St.,Maiden 28650	Catawba	1949																								
TOTAL																	833	479	695	10,120	1,855	11,975	54	27	882,500	5,716,000	582,742

TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL — **YEAR ENDING** September 30, 1971 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork
State: North Carolina
Associational Sunday School Director: Melvin D. Rabb
Address: P.O. Box 386 — City: Maiden — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28650

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	44 Preschool enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	45 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	46 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	47 Young Adult enrolment (18-24 years or H.S. graduation to 25 years)	48 Adult enrolment (25-59 years or 30 to retirement)	49 Senior Adult enrolment (60 and over or retirement and over)	50 Adults Away enrolment	51 Homebound Units enrolment	52 General officers enrolment	53 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	54 Total ongoing enrolment	55 Average weekly Sunday School attendance	56 Number of Fellowship Bible classes	56 Fellowship Bible class enrolment	57 Kindergarten and day care enrolment	58 Bible conference projects enrolment	59 Weekday Bible study enrolment	60 Church V. B. S. enrolment	60 Mission V. B. S. enrolment	60 Total V. B. S. enrolment
Amity	Lander Heafner, Rt. 1, Iron Station 28080	12	46	40	16	52	39	0	0	2	0	207	164	0	0	0	0	0	109	0	109
Antioch	Rowe Piercy, 9 North 9th Ave., Maiden 28650	42	61	67	77	56	27	0	0	5	0	335	260	0	0	0	0	0	151	0	151
Bethel	Archie Caudle, Rt. 5, Lincolnton 28092	6	34	24	17	38	8	0	0	5	0	132	65	0	0	0	0	0	54	0	54
Boger City	J. M. Sherrill, 203 Buffalo Shoals Rd.,Lincolnton 28092	45	95	58	86	119	75	0	0	6	0	484	225	0	0	0	0	0	217	0	217
Calvary	Howard Schronce, Box 421, Lincolnton 28092	45	52	40	23	30	20	7	8	4	0	229	148	0	0	0	0	0	125	0	125
Cedar Grove	Mrs. Ross Williams, Box 398, Maiden 28650	7	12	12	20	20	15	0	0	4	0	90	58	0	0	0	0	0	63	0	63
Center View	J. B. Jones, Rt. 1, Maiden 28650	18	17	18	34	45	30	0	0	3	0	165	129	0	0	0	0	0	72	0	72
Coral Park	David Spivey, Rt. 5, Box 289, Lincolnton 28092	7	8	14	12	10	0	0	0	6	0	57	35	0	0	0	0	0	45	0	45
Craig Memorial	Frank L. Lewis, Rt. 1, Box 167, Stanley 28164	18	28	17	7	27	20	0	0	3	0	120	77	0	0	0	0	0	72	0	72
Cruse	John W. Gantt, 2527-D E. Main St.,Lincolnton 28092	13	21	6	11	22	0	0	0	3	0	76	43	0	0	0	0	0	68	0	68
David Memorial	David McSwain, Rt.3, Lincolnton 28092	25	29	13	24	17	0	0	0	4	0	112	80	0	0	0	0	0	102	0	102
Faith	Charlie Helton, Rt.1, Box 470-D, Stanley 28164	24	26	27	45	26	0	0	0	4	0	152	93	0	0	0	0	0	53	0	53
Fellowship	Raymond Griffin, Rt. 1, Stanley 28164	12	18	18	11	20	0	0	0	2	0	81	39	0	0	0	0	0	76	0	76
Friendly Chapel	Darris Lee Turbyfill, Rt. 1, Maiden 28650	26	23	23	26	32	9	0	0	0	0	139	90	0	0	0	0	0	52	0	52
Gainsville	Oscar Kistler, Rt. 1, Lincolnton 28092	22	43	37	47	71	33	2	5	7	0	267	125	0	0	0	0	0	89	0	89
Howard's Creek	Marsahll G. Gilbert, Rt.1, Box 432, Lincolnton 28092	4	8	2	6	15	2	0	0	2	0	39	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel	Woodrow Edwards, P. O. Box 217, Catawba 28609	3	19	12	10	34	3	2	0	0	0	83	70	0	0	0	0	0	63	0	63
Hull's Grove	E. Z. Willis, Rt. 1, Cherryville 28021	37	39	45	22	115	0	0	0	3	0	261	144	0	0	0	0	40	96	0	96
Lawing's Chapel	Paul Hilton, Rt. 2, Maiden 28650	42	46	34	35	91	26	0	0	0	0	274	160	0	0	0	0	0	138	0	138
Leonard's Fork	Jerry Elmore, Rt. 2, Vale 28168	17	15	22	28	25	0	0	0	0	0	107	65	0	0	0	0	0	66	0	66
Lincoln Avenue	David Ross, Rt. 2, Box 317, Lincolnton 28092	43	70	50	59	50	75	0	0	4	0	351	170	0	0	0	0	0	127	0	127
Lincolnton,First	R. Leary Reid, P.O. Box 714, Lincolnton 28092	63	79	62	19	177	42	23	8	4	0	477	252	0	0	0	0	0	151	0	151
Lincolnton,North																					
Lincolnton,West	James Smith, Rt. 1, Lincolnton 28092	5	15	23	11	4	0	0	0	0	0	58	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Long Shoals	Larry Williams, Rt.4, Box 208, Lincolnton 28092	31	45	28	18	30	24	0	11	4	0	191	106	0	0	0	0	0	86	0	86

Macedonia	Ricky Crouse, Rt. 5, Lincolnton	28092	46	54	41	16	103	30	0	0	5	0	295	178	0	0	0	0	0	106	0	106
Maiden, East	Cecil S. Parker, 910 Boyd St., Maiden	28650	62	53	38	42	80	67	0	0	6	0	348	222	0	0	0	0	0	108	0	108
Maiden, First	Kermit Caldwell, 404 N. Main Ave., Maiden	28650	57	74	75	55	164	43	0	0	8	0	476	276	0	0	0	0	0	152	0	152
Massapoag	John Clark, 210 Little St., Lincolnton	28092	21	13	18	24	3	3	0	0	3	0	85	55	0	0	0	0	0	84	0	84
Mathis Chapel	Mitchell Joyner, Rt. 2, Box 224, Catawba	28609	11	22	14	28	38	0	0	0	5	0	118	86	0	0	0	0	0	100	0	100
Mt. Anderson	J. C. Jones, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	45	45	43	22	81	29	10	0	3	0	278	173	0	0	0	0	0	169	0	169
Mt. Ruhama	Coyte Punch, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	65	58	64	48	191	61	0	0	3	0	490	350	0	0	0	0	0	152	0	152
Mt. Zion	Harry H. Murphy, Hwy.275,Box 1702, Stanley	28164	38	7	20	53	39	16	0	0	3	0	176	108	0	0	0	0	0	58	0	58
Mountain View	Carroll Goodson, Rt. 1, Denver	28037	47	51	28	45	94	40	0	18	2	0	325	207	0	0	0	0	0	114	0	114
North Brook	Clyde Warlick, Rt. 1, Cherryville	28021	15	25	36	20	23	37	0	0	2	0	158	87	0	0	0	0	0	40	0	40
Oak Grove	Lewis Huss, 524 Norman Fair Ave., Lincolnton	28092	25	48	23	40	87	0	0	0	4	0	227	99	0	0	0	0	0	88	0	88
Olivet	Basil Thomas, Rt. 2, Catawba	28609	20	29	25	24	50	18	3	0	9	13	191	121	0	0	0	0	0	51	0	51
Pearl	Steve Grigg, Rt. 1, Box 1074 CCC,Iron Station	28080	37	48	26	33	68	0	0	0	0	0	212	166	0	0	0	0	0	94	0	94
Piney Grove	Perry Lee Wilkinson, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	26	42	23	11	55	11	0	0	4	0	172	112	0	0	0	0	50	78	0	78
Poole's Chapel																						
Reepsville	Marshall Saunders, 822 S. Government St., Lincolnton	28093	39	48	28	0	127	0	0	12	6	0	260	169	0	0	0	0	0	153	0	153
River View	Sam T. Lattimore, 410 Buffalo Shoals Rd.,Lincolnton	28092	21	19	22	17	36	30	6	0	9	0	160	0	0	0	0	0	0	78	0	78
Roseland	Reynard Johnson, Rt. 3, Lincolnton	28092	0	16	19	0	6	19	0	0	2	0	62	37	0	0	0	0	0	50	0	50
Salem	Jim Plonk, Rt. 2, Box 310, Dallas	28034	45	59	48	29	77	26	15	12	6	0	317	195	0	0	0	0	0	200	0	200
Sharon	Robert Hovis, Rt. 3, Lincolnton	28092	10	30	19	9	22	20	0	0	3	0	113	78	0	0	0	0	0	73	0	73
Southside	Roney Sides, Rt. 4, Box 138, Lincolnton	28092	37	51	42	55	70	0	0	0	5	0	260	160	0	0	0	0	0	112	0	112
Temple	Charles Mitchem, 935 E. Catawba St., Lincolnton	28092	6	8	13	9	13	6	0	0	0	0	55	53	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport	Paul N. Stephens, Rt. 1, Stanley	28164	3	9	21	25	25	2	0	0	3	0	88	48	0	0	0	0	0	66	0	66
Westside																						
TOTAL			1,243	1,658	1,378	1,269	2,578	906	68	74	166	13	9,353	5,644	0	0	0	0	90	4,201	0	4,201

TABLE C TRAINING UNION — YEAR ENDING September 30 (Month & Day) 1971

Association: South Fork
State: North Carolina
Associational Training Union Director: Winfred M. Turner
Address: Route 1 — City: Denver — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28037

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	61 Preschool enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	62 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	63 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	64 Young Adult enrolment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	65 Adult enrolment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	66 Senior Adult enrolment (60 and over or retirement and over)	67 General officers enrolment	68 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	69 Total ongoing enrolment	70 Average weekly Training Union attendance	71 New Member Orientation: Registration	71 New Member Orientation: Completed	72 Church Leader Training: Registration	72 Church Leader Training: Completed	73 Member Training Projects: Registration	73 Member Training Projects: Completed
Amity	Mrs. Phyllis Heafner, Rt. 1, Iron Station 28080	16	23	29	20	26	9	2	0	125	101	30	30	0	0	0	0
Antioch	Charles Harkey, Rt. 1, Denver 28037	24	19	43	65	0	0	2	0	153	130	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bethel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boger City	David L. Grogan, 104 Green St., Lincolnton 28092	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	16	0	0	0	0	0	0
Calvary	Mrs. Marshall Sisk, Jr., 325 N. Academy St., Lincolnton 28092	15	34	11	17	15	0	2	0	84	57	12	10	0	0	0	0
Cedar Grove	Ross Williams, Box 398, Maiden 28650	5	7	5	6	16	12	3	0	54	28	0	0	0	0	0	0
Center View	Wade L. Crouse, Rt. 2, Newton 28658	7	8	17	25	12	7	2	0	78	48	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coral Park		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Craig Memorial		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Crouse		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
David Memorial		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Faith	Dale Ritchie, Rt.1, Box 471 H, Stanley 28164	7	19	18	6	31	0	2	0	83	30	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fellowship	David Hargett, Rt. 1, Iron Station 28080	4	6	12	10	13	1	2	0	48	25	0	0	0	0	0	0
Friendly Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gainsville	Jim Houser, Rt. 2, Vale 28168	3	15	11	11	26	3	3	0	72	36	0	0	1	1	0	0
Howard's Creek		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hull's Grove	Tommy Richardson, Rt. 2, Vale 28168	20	21	19	0	34	0	0	0	94	53	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lawing's Chapel	Darrell Drum, Rt. 2, Maiden 28650	3	25	25	6	21	1	3	0	84	55	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leonard's Fork	James Elmore, Rt. 1, Vale 28168	1	4	8	0	24	0	1	0	38	26	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincoln Avenue	Jerry Hallman, Rt. 3, Box 389, Lincolnton 28092	4	24	23	21	21	0	4	0	97	60	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton,First	Leary Robinson, P.O. Box 714, Lincolnton 28092	6	31	38	0	38	6	4	0	123	68	15	15	25	25	11	11
Lincolnton,North																	
Lincolnton,West		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Long Shoals	J.Fred Gates, Rt. 4, Lincolnton 28092	0	5	0	10	7	0	0	0	22	12	0	0	2	2	0	0

Macedonia	Billy Painter, Rt. 3, Lincolnton	28092	12	22	12	8	20	0	2	0	76	38	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maiden, East	Miss Mona Schronce, 1103 E.Main St., Maiden	28650	13	15	11	10	29	13	3	0	94	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maiden, First	Leonard Taylor, 322 E. Main St., Maiden	28650	16	18	38	12	14	3	6	0	107	77	0	0	24	19	0	0
Massapoag	Mickey Smith, Rt. 4, Box 1, Lincolnton	28092	9	12	13	7	14	10	3	0	68	36	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mathis Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mt. Anderson	Phil Turbyfill, Rt. 5, Lincolnton	28092	10	13	14	11	22	16	2	0	88	61	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mt. Ruhama	Roy O. Smith, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	23	32	43	26	52	27	3	0	206	138	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Jimmie Stroupe, Rt. 1, Alexis	28006	15	12	14	12	0	8	1	0	62	38	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mountain View	Janice Robinson, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	15	20	22	16	36	12	3	0	124	75	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Brook	Mrs. Edgar Brackett, Rt. 1, Cherryville	28021	6	13	16	26	49	0	2	0	112	31	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oak Grove	Ray Little, Rt. 5, Lincolnton	28092	8	16	11	13	34	0	1	0	83	33	0	0	0	0	0	0
Olivet			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pearl	Jack Beam, Rt. 1, Box 59, Iron Station	28080	14	23	15	12	29	0	0	0	93	63	0	0	0	0	0	0
Piney Grove			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Poole's Chapel																		
Reepsville	Mrs. Helen Anthony 1618 Broome St., Lincolnton	28092	30	31	20	21	48	0	4	0	154	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
River View	Mrs. Rachel Ballenger, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	7	5	15	0	31	0	2	0	60	45	10	6	0	0	0	0
Roseland			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salem	Fred Dellinger, Rt. 3, Box 386, Lincolnton	28092	8	9	28	10	14	0	4	0	73	31	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sharon	Boyce Long, Rt. 1, Iron Station	28080	0	5	7	6	10	0	2	0	30	11	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southside	Ryan Shelton, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	15	30	21	27	27	0	5	0	125	77	0	0	32	32	20	20
Temple			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport	Nelson Howard, Rt. 1, Denver	28037	4	0	7	11	27	2	2	0	53	20	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westside																		
TOTAL			320	527	566	425	740	130	75	0	2,783	1,519	67	61	84	77	31	31

TABLE D CHURCH MUSIC YEAR ENDING September 30, 1971 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork

State: North Carolina

Associational Music Director: Douglas A. Ledford

Address: Route 1 City: Lincolnton State: North Carolina Zip: 28092

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		74 Preschool enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	75 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	76 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	77 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	78 General officers enrolment	79 Enrollment of mission(s) of church	80 Total church music enrolment	81 Average weekly church music enrolment	82 Handbell ringers enrolment	83 Vocal ensemble enrolment	84 Instrumental ensembles enrollment	85 Church music study group enrolment
Amity	Miss Lois Reel, Rt. 1, Denver	28037	0	25	20	27	1	0	73	0	0	0	0	0
Antioch	Charles R. Burke, Rt. 2, Maiden	28650	0	16	32	45	1	0	94	65	0	3	3	1
Bethel	Billy Caudle, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boger City	David L. Grogan, 104 Green St., Lincolnton	28092	15	50	21	26	8	0	120	85	0	10	2	0
Calvary	Douglas Ledford, Rt. 1, Lincolnton	28092	1	19	5	17	4	0	46	35	20	46	0	0
Cedar Grove			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Center View	Preston Turbyfill, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	0	0	2	24	3	0	29	28	0	0	2	0
Coral Park	Mrs. Charles Spivey, 900 N. Flint St., Lincolnton	28092	0	2	7	5	1	0	15	13	0	0	0	0
Craig Memorial	Mrs. Carl Shelton, Alexis	28006	0	0	14	25	0	0	39	0	0	0	0	0
Crouse	James B. Blackburn, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
David Memorial	Mrs. Earl Roberts, 102 Lake St., Lincolnton	28092	7	5	0	15	4	0	31	20	0	0	0	0
Faith	Ellis Brotherton, Rt. 1, Stanley	28164	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fellowship	Marvin Mauney, Box 108, Stanley	28164	0	0	0	16	0	0	16	8	0	0	0	16
Friendly Chapel	Vance Lawing, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	0	0	5	30	0	0	35	0	0	0	0	0
Gainsville	Harold Humphries, Rt. 1, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	19	0	0	19	19	0	0	2	0
Howard's Creek	Frank McIntosh, 1508½ Lake Street, Gastonia	28052	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel	William S. Leatherman, Rt. 2, Box 35, Catawba	28609	0	2	7	15	2	0	26	20	0	0	0	0
Hull's Grove	Mrs. Donald Sain, Rt. 2, Vale	28168	0	7	12	25	0	0	44	0	0	0	0	0
Lawing's Chapel	Johnnie Shubert, Rt. 2, Newton	28658	0	10	15	25	0	0	50	45	0	0	0	0
Leonard's Fork	Abe Turner, 505 N. Mulberry St., Cherryville	28021	2	2	0	17	0	0	21	8	0	0	0	0
Lincoln Avenue	Miss Delores White, 720 W. Third St., Lincolnton	28092	2	20	20	20	0	0	62	40	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton,First	Mrs. R. A. Cantwell, P.O. Box 714, Lincolnton	28092	18	55	37	28	7	0	145	120	20	12	0	0
Lincolnton,North														
Lincolnton,West	Mrs. Frances Chapman, 409 N. High St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Long Shoals	Harvey Alexander, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	0	2	6	20	3	0	31	20	0	0	0	0

Macedonia	Miss Ellen Bridges, P.O. Box 692, Maiden	28650	0	12	12	25	4	0	53	37	0	0	0	0
Maiden, East	Harold S. Caldwell, 820 E. Main St., Maiden	28650	0	25	15	30	3	0	73	65	0	0	0	0
Maiden, First	Kennith D. Adams, Box 338, Maiden	28650	10	35	22	37	5	0	109	83	0	0	0	0
Massapoag	Mrs. Carrie Bell Clark. 210 Little St., Lincolnton	28092	8	5	6	18	4	0	41	30	0	2	2	0
Mathis Chapel	Bobby L. Taylor, Rt. 2, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mt. Anderson			0	0	35	30	0	0	65	50	0	2	4	35
Mt. Ruhama	Ray Von Caldwell, Rt. 2, Newton	28658	0	20	40	35	4	0	99	60	0	0	0	0
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Mary Hager, Rt. 1, Alexis	28006	0	0	2	20	0	0	22	0	0	0	0	0
Mountain View	Emmett Turbyfill, Rt. 2, Maiden	28650	0	20	22	27	1	0	70	40	0	0	0	0
North Brook	Mrs. Tresea Sigmon, Rt. 1, Box 30, Vale	28168	0	20	15	15	2	0	52	39	0	0	0	0
Oak Grove			0	0	0	25	0	0	25	18	0	0	0	0
Olivet	C. L. Thomas, Rt.1, Box 148 A, Sherrills Ford	28673	0	0	14	20	3	0	37	16	0	0	6	0
Pearl	Carroll W. Cooke, Rt. 1, Stanley	28164	8	14	10	25	0	0	57	30	0	0	0	0
Piney Grove	Charles Estep, Rt. 2, Newton	28658	0	6	6	14	3	0	29	29	0	0	0	0
Poole's Chapel														
Reepsville	Roy Cooke, Rt. 2, Vale	28168	0	0	10	29	0	0	39	29	0	0	0	0
River View	Stirl Dysart, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	30	3	0	33	25	0	0	0	0
Roseland	Preston Green, 2636 E. Main St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salem	Jay Baker, 106 N. Summey, Dallas	28034	0	0	0	40	0	0	40	30	0	0	0	0
Sharon	W. E. Beal, Rt. 3, Lincolnton	28092	5	5	10	16	2	0	38	30	0	0	0	0
Southside	Mrs. W. R. Kimberlin, Rt. 4, Box 115, Lincolnton	28092	0	18	0	22	3	0	45	33	0	0	0	0
Temple	Mrs. Marie Burgess, Rt. 5, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westside														
TOTAL			76	395	422	857	71	0	1,821	1,170	40	75	21	52

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION YEAR ENDING September 30, 1971 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork
State: North Carolina
Associational WMU Director: Mrs. J. E. Helms
Address: Route 1, Box 420 City: Lincolnton State: North Carolina Zip: 28092

CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	86A	86B	87A	87B	88A	88B	89A	89B	90A	90B	91	92A	92B	93A	93B
		Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)		Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)		Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)		Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)		Baptist Women (30 and over)			Mission(s) of church		Total WMU	
		Number of organizations	Enrolment	Number of organizations	Enrolment	Number of organizations	Enrolment	Number of organizations	Enrolment	Number of organizations	Enrolment	WMU officers enrolment	Number of organizations	Enrolment	Number of organizations	Enrolment
Amity	Mrs. Frances Reel, Rt. 1, Iron Station 28080	1	8	3	24	1	9	0	0	1	39	5	0	0	6	85
Antioch	Mrs. Robert Lutz, Rt. 2, Box 148-B, Maiden 28650	1	13	1	7	1	10	1	12	1	25	3	0	0	5	70
Bethel	Mrs. Jack Noles, Rt. 5, Box 131-A, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	9	6	0	0	1	15
Boger City	Mrs. Bobby L. Baker, 202 Lithia Springs Rd., Lincolnton 28092	1	20	1	30	0	0	1	15	1	25	1	0	0	4	91
Calvary	Mrs. Roy Houk, Rt. 5, Lincolnton 28092	1	7	1	14	1	18	0	0	1	15	3	0	0	4	57
Cedar Grove	Mrs. Jeane Canipe, Rt. 2, Maiden 28650	1	8	1	9	0	0	0	0	1	10	1	0	0	3	28
Center View	Mrs. Sondra Crouse, Rt. 2, Newton 28658	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	1	25	1	0	0	2	31
Coral Park		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Craig Memorial		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Crouse	Mrs. Mae Carpenter, Rt. 1, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
David Memorial	Mrs. Hillard Brackett, 710 S.Laurel St., Lincolnton 28092	1	12	2	12	0	0	0	0	1	13	3	0	0	4	40
Faith	Mrs. Joe Henson, Rt. 1, Iron Station 28080	0	0	1	9	1	14	0	0	1	17	6	0	0	3	46
Fellowship	Mrs. Donald Lowe, Rt. 1, Stanley 28164	0	0	1	4	1	5	0	0	1	8	6	0	0	3	23
Friendly Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gainsville	Mrs. Dale Houser, 203 Dale Ave., Lincolnton 28092	3	8	1	11	1	10	1	12	1	28	18	0	0	7	87
Howard's Creek		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hull's Grove	Mrs. Clara Nell Brendle, Rt. 2, Vale 28168	1	8	2	6	1	9	0	0	1	20	0	0	0	5	43
Lawing's Chapel	Mrs. Girtha Saunders, Rt. 2, Maiden 28650	0	0	3	22	2	16	1	7	1	14	0	0	0	7	59
Leonard's Fork	Mrs. Vance Heavner, Box 43, Rt.1, Crouse 28033	1	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	7	2	0	0	2	29
Lincoln Avenue	Mrs. Theron Price, Rt. 5, Box 536, Lincolnton 28092	1	7	1	11	1	7	1	8	1	16	7	0	0	5	56
Lincolnton,First	Mrs. M. L. Canaday, P.O. Box 578, Lincolnton 28092	1	15	1	15	1	15	1	8	1	111	8	0	0	5	172
Lincolnton,North		0														
Lincolnton,West		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Long Shoals	Mrs. Lola Gates, Rt. 4, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2

Macedonia	Mrs. Bernice Harris, Rt. 3, Lincolnton	28092	1	6	2	8	2	8	0	0	1	12	9	0	0	6	43
Maiden, East	Mrs. L. R. Williams, 1004 E. Main St., Maiden	28650	0	0	1	8	2	12	0	0	1	29	2	0	0	4	51
Maiden, First	Mrs. David Jordan,202 N. 10th Ave., Maiden	28650	2	9	2	15	2	24	0	0	1	68	6	0	0	7	122
Massapoag	Mrs. Dorothy Kirksey, Rt. 2, Box 131, Catawba	28609	0	0	1	6	1	6	0	0	1	12	3	0	0	3	27
Mathis Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mt. Anderson	Mrs. Roger Josey, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	1	14	2	15	1	14	1	7	1	29	5	0	0	6	84
Mt. Ruhama	Mrs. Leonard Wright, Rt.1, Box 104, Maiden	28650	1	13	2	11	2	14	1	10	1	54	2	0	0	7	104
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Lelia S. Long, Rt. 1, Alexis	28006	1	7	0	0	1	7	0	0	1	21	1	0	0	3	36
Mountain View	Mrs. Harding Caldwell, Rt. 1, Box 216 A, Maiden	28650	1	6	1	9	1	8	1	6	1	30	0	0	0	5	59
North Brook	Mrs. Lee Bess, Rt. 1, Cherryville	28021	1	6	1		1	6	1	6	1	10	2	0	0	5	30
Oak Grove	Mrs. Mills Greene, Rt. 2, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	18	3	0	0	1	21
Olivet	Mrs. Bill Hoffman, Box 50, Long Island	28648	1	10	2	15	1	9	0	0	1	26	4	0	0	5	64
Pearl	Mrs. Weaver Cagle, 311 Green St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	1	10	1	8	0	0	1	14	0	0	0	3	32
Piney Grove	Mrs. Perry Lee Wilkinson, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	1	8	1	5	1	10	0	0	1	22	0	0	0	4	45
Poole's Chapel																	
Reepsville	Mrs. Linda Seagle, Rt. 1, Box 263, Vale	28168	2	17	1	18	1	8	1	13	1	30	3	0	0	6	89
River View	Mrs. Shirley Lowery, Rt. 4, Box 446, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	1	14	1	15	0	0	1	29	4	0	0	3	62
Roseland			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salem	Mrs. J. E. Lockman, Rt. 3, Box 307, Lincolnton	28092	1	9	2	18	2	22	1	7	1	34	10	0	0	7	100
Sharon	Mrs. Stanley Hallman, Rt. 1, Iron Station	28080	0	0	1	10	1	5	0	0	1	12	3	0	0	3	30
Southside	Mrs. Earl Armstrong, Rt.5, Box 631, Lincolnton	28092	1	4	2	20	0	0	0	0	1	30	4	0	0	4	58
Temple			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport	Mrs. Guy P. Helms, Box 63, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westside																	
TOTAL			27	235	42	356	33	294	12	111	34	862	133	0	0	148	1,991

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD — YEAR ENDING September 30, 1971 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork

State: North Carolina

Associational Brotherhood Director: Jim L. Lowery

Address: Rt. 4, Box 446 — City: Lincolnton — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28092

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		94 Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	95 Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	96 Baptist Young Men enrolment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	97 Baptist Men enrolment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	98 Baptist Senior Men (60 and over or retirement and over)	99 General officers enrolment	100 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	101 Total Brotherhood enrolment
Amity	C. Blain Sigmon, Rt. 1, Iron Station	28080	22	10	0	22	0	4	0	58
Antioch	William Painter, Rt. 5, Box 332, Lincolnton	28092	8	0	0	35	0	1	0	44
Bethel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boger City			14	10	0	41	0	6	0	71
Calvary	Fred Hawkins, Sr., Rt. 2, Lincolnton	28092	10	12	0	20	0	3	0	45
Cedar Grove			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Center View			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coral Park			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Craig Memorial			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Crouse			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
David Memorial	H. Donald McSwain, Rt. 1, Iron Station	28080	0	0	5	6	0	3	0	14
Faith			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fellowship	Eulis Freeman, P.O. Box 843, Stanley	28164	2	8	3	8	0	3	0	24
Friendly Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gainsville	Harold Humphries, Rt. 1, Lincolnton	28092	5	13	0	15	0	10	0	43
Howard's Creek			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hull's Grove	Ralph Cline, Rt. 2, Vale	28168	0	9	0	20	0	0	0	29
Lawing's Chapel			17	11	0	0	0	0	0	28
Leonard's Fork			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincoln Avenue	Larry Turner, 611 W. Childs St., Lincolnton	28092	6	18	0	22	0	3	0	49
Lincolnton,First	John P. Smith, 806 Danbrook Circle, Lincolnton	28092	12	10	8	25	10	2	0	67
Lincolnton,North										
Lincolnton,West			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Long Shoals	Lester Payseur, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2

Macedonia	Blair Wilkinson, Rt. 1, Denver	28037	9	8	0	8	0	0	0	25
Maiden, East	Michael Groce, 521 Carolina Ave., Maiden	28650	32	27	0	20	0	3	0	82
Maiden, First	Hubert Morrow, P.O. Box 481, Maiden	28650	8	6	0	25	0	4	0	43
Massapoag			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mathis Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mt. Anderson	Phil Turbyfill, Rt. 5, Lincolnton	28092	10	10	25	11	56	0	0	112
Mt. Ruhama	Gerald Caldwell, Rt. 2, Box 267, Claremont	28610	20	20	0	22	0	0	0	62
Mt. Zion	William Stroupe, Rt. 1, Alexis	28006	8	0	0	6	0	0	0	14
Mountain View	Glenn Hicks, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	9	14	0	20	0	0	0	43
North Brook	Harry Arthur, Sr., Rt. 1, Cherryville	28021	6	6	0	9	0	4	0	25
Oak Grove	Robert Smith, 609 S. Grier St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Olivet			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pearl	Steve Grigg, Rt. 1, Box 1074 CCC, Iron Station	28080	10	10	0	0	0	3	0	23
Piney Grove	Paul E. Setzer, Rt. 2, Claremont,	28610	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	14
Poole's Chapel										
Reepsville	Jesse Scronce, Rt. 2, Box 32 A, Lincolnton	28092	10	15	0	32	0	7	0	64
River View	James F. Shrum, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	15	20	0	23	0	5	0	63
Roseland			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salem	Jim Plonk, Rt. 2, Box 310, Dallas	28034	12	18	7	28	5	8	0	78
Sharon			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southside	Darrell Bost, 625 State St., Lincolnton	28092	5	5	0	22	0	0	0	32
Temple			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westside										
TOTAL			250	274	48	440	71	71	0	1,154

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1971 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork
State: North Carolina
Associational Treasurer: Mrs. J. E. Helms
Address: P.O. Box 461 City: Maiden State: North Carolina Zip: 28650

CHURCHES	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	12	13			14	15	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110
		Number of tithers	Budget prom. or emphasis used during the year. None	Forward Program	Other	Cooperative Program goal as percent of total budget	Associational missions goal as percent of total budget	Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during the year	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
Amity	Mrs. Alice McMurry, Rt. 1, Denver 28037	72	x			10%	6/10 %	33,916	0	33,916	2,000	8,785	1,962	10,383	7,667	28,797
Antioch	Mrs. William E. Beal, Rt. 5, Box 346A, Lincolnton 28092	130	x			10%	0	58,306	0	58,306	0	11,416	12,938	3,805	9,156	37,315
Bethel	Mrs. Jack Noles, Rt. 5, Box 131A, Lincolnton 28092	15	x			3⅛%	1½ %	17,242	0	17,242	3,452	7,482	1,832	3,452	4,383	17,149
Boger City	J. E. Norwood, 2315 E. Main St., Lincolnton 28092	175	x			15%	1½ %	55,550	0	55,550	0	16,430	0	0	22,220	38,650
Calvary	Mrs. Colleen Sisk, Rt. 2, Lincolnton 28092	130	x			3%	1¾ %	46,011	0	46,011	0	12,037	9,533	5,315	10,781	37,666
Cedar Grove	Charles Withers, Rt. 2, Maiden 28650	25	x			0	0	12,454	0	12,454	0	5,014	0	1,296	6,251	12,561
Center View	Kenneth Gilleland, Rt. 1, Maiden 28650	45	x			5⅛%	1¾ %	20,822	589	21,411	1,500	7,200	0	4,902	5,669	17,771
Coral Park	David Spivey, Rt.5, Box 289, Lincolnton 28092	25			x	0	1 %	2,600	0	2,600	0	1,100	300	800	125	2,325
Craig Memorial	Mrs. Carole McGinnis, 423 E. Poplar, Stanley 28164	30	x			12%	1¾ %	16,573	118	16,691	0	6,940	0	1,836	1,669	10,445
Crouse	Elliott Loftin, Rt. 4, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	8,964	232	9,196	0	4,564	900	636	2,894	8,994
David Memorial	Mrs. Robert Armstrong, Rt.3, Box318, Lincolnton 28092	31			x	$100.	$50.	16,355	0	16,355	38,000	4,345	6,784	2,489	2,737	16,355
Faith	Mrs. Betty S. Helton, Rt.1, Box 470D, Stanley 28164	29	x			1⅛%	2 %	20,163	0	20,163	0	6,382	3,086	3,012	2,437	14,917
Fellowship	James Cody, Rt.1, Box 174D, Iron Station 28080	0	x			8%	2 %	12,089	0	12,089	45,336	6,100	0	3,646	1,595	11,341
Friendly Chapel	Harvey Ledford, Rt.1, Denver 28037	39	0	0	0	0	0	18,007	0	18,007	0	5,980	0	6,381	6,267	18,628
Gainsville	John Moore, 514 Motz Ave., Lincolnton 28092	65	x			2⅛%	2½ %	27,329	207	27,536	3,000	8,064	3,000	532	13,061	24,657
Howard's Creek	Marshall G. Gilbert, Rt.1, Box432, Lincolnton 28092	7	x			0	0	2,995	0	2,995	0	0	370	325	1,350	2,045
Hudson Chapel	William S. Leatherman, Rt.2, Box35, Catawba 28609	40	x			0	0	10,212	0	10,212	0	4,692	0	1,170	5,143	11,005
Hull's Grove	Mrs. Kenneth Wehunt, Rt.1, Cherryville 28021	0	0	0	0	10%	0	27,142	0	27,142	0	9,796	0	0	9,915	19,711
Lawing's Chapel	James McAlister, Rt.2, Maiden 28650	57	x			8%	.8 %	26,641	204	26,845	0	8,665	0	0	18,191	26,856
Leonard's Fork	Mrs. Jonah Hager, 108 Bost St., Lincolnton 28092	30	x			10%	$126.	12,122	675	12,797	0	3,120	2,620	3,262	984	9,986
Lincoln Avenue	David Ross, Rt2, Box317, Lincolnton 28092	165	0	0	0	18%	1½ %	47,147	9,028	56,175	28,000	14,900	14,074	6,908	16,403	52,285
Lincolnton, First	Mrs. Charles Sanford, PO Box 714, Lincolnton 28092	135			x	17%	1.3%	125,487	4,687	130,174	0	27,297	0	74,937	38,084	140,318
Lincolnton, North																
Lincolnton, West	Fred J. Smith, 37 Railroad St., Lincolnton 28092	22	x			0	0	11,323	0	11,323	0	4,400	360	2,224	860	7,844
Long Shoals	J. Fred Gates, Rt.4, Lincolnton 28092	20	x			10%	2 %	15,253	0	15,253	0	7,021	1,035	3,000	2,379	13,435

Macedonia	Mrs. Joan Ballard, Rt. 3, Lincolnton 28092	32	x			10%	3 %	26,236	241	26,477	0	10,530	0	0	9,341	19,871
Maiden, East	Charles J. Pope, Rt. 2, Box 227, Maiden 28650	0	x			0	0	44,687	0	44,687	0	12,785	0	0	16,053	28,838
Maiden, First	Dwight Williams, 525 E. Boyd St., Maiden 28650	0			x	20%	0	87,596	0	87,596	0	20,243	0	22,410	23,246	65,899
Massapoag	Mrs. Rachel Chapman, Rt.2, Box 7, Lincolnton 28092	25	x	x	x	10%	1½ %	11,451	0	11,451	0	3,840	0	2,642	2,904	9,386
Mathis Chapel	Mrs. Clifford Sherrill,Rt.1,Sherrills Ford 28673	17				0	0	12,011	0	12,011	0	4,647	4,698	0	1,777	11,122
Mt. Anderson	Austin Josey, Rt. 1, Maiden 28650	50				2%	2 %	22,732	0	22,732	35,000	5,875	36,330	2,977	3,000	48,182
Mt. Ruhama	Miss Beda Campbell, Rt.1, Maiden 28650	124	x			0	1¾ %	68,340	0	68,340	0	13,079	41,408	0	12,083	66,570
Mt. Zion	Cull G. Long, Rt. 1, Alexis 28006	35				10%	2 %	25,413	0	25,413	0	7,970	7,244	0	5,270	20,484
Mountain View	Donald L. Caldwell, Rt.1, Maiden 28650	50	x			9%	1¾ %	38,097	0	38,097	0	7,190	3,290	2,609	12,727	25,816
North Brook	Mrs. Kemp Wehunt, Rt.1, Cherryville 28021	50	x			10%	1¾ %	18,528	0	18,528	0	6,580	0	0	9,197	15,777
Oak Grove	Robert Smith, 609 S. Grier St.,Lincolnton 28092	50	x			10%	1¾ %	17,500	0	17,500	0	5,020	1,292	4,665	4,227	15,204
Olivet	Herman Brown, Rt.2,Box 109,Catawba 28609	50	x			15%	1½ %	23,111	55	23,166	5,500	7,646	5,500	5,880	3,650	22,676
Pearl	Jess Burcham, Box 532, Lincolnton 28092	29	x			1½%	0	30,230	0	30,230	0	10,400	13,652	0	5,080	29,132
Piney Grove	Mrs. John Cansler, Rt.2, Claremont 28610	20	x			2%	1 %	19,374	0	19,374	0	4,717	0	7,834	5,225	17,776
Poole's Chapel																
Reepsville	Buford Bumgarner, Rt.5,Box470, Lincolnton 28092	93	x			11%	$500	42,712	0	42,712	0	10,947	0	4,200	19,780	34,927
River View	Pervey Coffey, Rt. 4, Lincolnton 28092	115	x			10%	1.5%	41,321	0	41,321	0	9,465	797	11,486	9,296	31,044
Roseland	Mrs. Ruth Colvard,321 E. Carter St.,Lincolnton 28092	13	x			1%	1 %	6,496	7	6,503	0	2,007	0	1,793	1,328	5,128
Salem	D. B. Lewis, Rt.3,Box359, Lincolnton 28092	109				5%	1½ %	42,863	0	42,863	0	12,180	0	11,479	15,910	39,569
Sharon	Mrs. Chester Armstrong,Rt.1, Iron Station 28080	25	x			2%	1 %	14,719	0	14,719	0	5,300	10,653	1,747	2,477	20,177
Southside	Elliott Whitesides,PO Box 791,Lincolnton 28092	132	0	0	0	13%	1.6%	48,594	0	48,594	0	12,960	36,709	13,200	9,484	72,353
Temple	Mrs. Pearl Crouse,328 E.Carter St.,Lincolnton 28092	11	0	0	0	1%	1 %	6,414	0	6,414	0	2,450	0	1,535	1,620	5,605
Westport	H.P.Bearden,Box117, Rt.1,Mount Holly 28120	14	x			9%	0	9,912	259	10,171	0	2,626	0	1,620	5,490	9,736
Westside																
TOTAL		2331						1,303,040	16,302	1,319,342	161,788	370,187	220,367	236,388	369,386	1,196,328

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES 1971 YEAR ENDING Sept. 30 (Month & Day) 1971

Association: South Fork

State: North Carolina

Associational Superintendent of Missions (Associational Missionary): James B. McQuere

Address: P.O. Box 461 City: Maiden State: North Carolina Zip: 28650

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUOE ZIP CODE)		111	112	113	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123	124	125
			CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS			COOPERATIVE MISSIONS											
			Money paid out on new construction during the year	All other church sponsored mission expenditures	Total church spansered mission expenditures	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	Designated: State missions	Designated: SBC Home Missions (Lottie Moon Christmas Offering)	Designated: SBC Foreign Missions (incl.) Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	Designated: Christian education (schools, etc.)	Designated: Children's Homes (Cash plus goods)	Designated: Hospitals	Designated: Homes for the aged	Designated: All other (Baptist Men, Temperance League, etc.)	Total Cooperative mission expenditures	Grand Total Mission expenditures
Amity	Mrs. Frances Reel, Rt. 1, Iron Station	28080	0	0	0	3,488	208	0	179	1,050	0	168	163	0	0	5,256	5,256
Antioch	Mrs. Hal McDaris, Rt.1, Box 435-C., Newton	28658	0	0	0	5,830	100	121	32	1,782	0	318	0	0	25	8,208	8,208
Bethel	Mrs. Joe E. Mull, Rt.5, Box 81, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	408	144	0	28	200	57	22	28	0	0	887	887
Boger City	Coleman Goodson, 1618 E. Main St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	6,760	900	98	130	357	0	166	108	67	0	8,586	8,586
Calvary,	Mrs. Howard Schronce, Box 421, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	1,200	722	125	186	432	400	232	215	186	575	4,273	4,273
Cedar Grove	Miss Glinda Withers, Rt. 2, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	200	100	0	0	400	400
Center View	Mrs. Nancy Munday, Box 249F, Rt.2, Newton	28658	0	0	0	531	200	57	188	301	0	100	160	31	286	1,854	1,854
Coral Park	Mrs. Aaron Black, Rt. 1, Crouse	28033	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	10	10	0	0	30	30
Craig Memorial	Mrs. Aline C. Huskins, 403 Sunset Dr.,Stanley	28164	0	0	0	1,600	272	0	42	150	0	0	0	0	75	2,139	2,139
Crouse	Mrs. John W. Gantt, 2527-D East Main St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	55	125	40	142	183	0	132	109	50	0	836	836
David Memorial	Mrs. Timothy Spencer, Rt.3, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	125	50	0	95	151	0	0	0	0	0	421	421
Faith	Mrs. Horace Bradshaw, Rt.1, Iron Station	28080	0	0	0	360	253	6	70	134	15	309	34	23	49	1,253	1,253
Fellowship	Mrs. Jimmie Griffin, Rt.1, Stanley	28164	0	0	0	1,019	242	0	0	56	0	0	26	0	53	1,396	1,396
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. James W. Carpenter, Rt.1, Box 165D, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	254	213	0	0	54	0	29	0	0	0	550	550
Gainsville	Larry S. Gilbert, P. O. Box 417, Crouse	28033	0	0	0	3,666	589	17	318	587	450	121	116	57	100	6,021	6,021
Howard's Creek	Mrs. Jerry Gilbert, Rt.1, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	21
Hudson Chapel	Mrs. Roby A. Stewart, Rt.2, Box 37, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	50	85	0	0	15	0	15	25	15	0	205	205
Hull's Grove	M. J. Gilbert, Rt.1, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	2,941	426	55	678	1,128	121	75	96	0	0	5,520	5,520
Lawing's Chapel	Mrs. Joan Henry, Rt.2, Box 378, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	668	240	1	174	486	0	722	179	122	481	3,073	3,073
Leonard's Fork	Mrs. Jerry Elmore, Rt.2, Vale	28168	0	0	0	1,323	223	50	29	150	0	51	22	0	0	1,848	1,848
Lincoln Avenue	Mrs. Theron Price, Rt.5, Box 536, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	7,639	813	108	368	1,263	57	183	111	65	172	10,779	10,779
Lincolnton,First	Mrs. Evelyn James, 619 North Laurel St.,Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	13,754	1,496	1,005	1,663	5,170	356	2,356	665	240	3,111	29,816	29,816
Lincolnton,North																	
Lincolnton,West	Mrs. Brenda Smith, 37 Railroad St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	60	78	876	0	35	53	45	205	1,352	1,352
Long Shoals	Miss Kathy Williams, Rt.4, Box 208,Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	328	196	25	0	0	0	45	20	0	0	614	614

Macedonia	Blair Wilkinson, Rt. 1, Denver	28037	0	0	0	1,301	428	23	351	1,018	0	100	150	54	641	4,066	4,066
Maiden, East	Miss Margaret Parker, Rt. 2,Box 135, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	800	1,067	0	314	1,741	61	198	337	175	98	4,791	4,791
Maiden, First	Reggie Deaton, 415 N. Main Ave., Maiden	28650	0	0	0	15,960	1,234	73	340	1,836	51	77	20	88	1,018	20,697	20,697
Massapoag	Mrs. Margaret Clark, 212 Highland Dr.,Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	794	196	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	100	1,265	1,265
Mathis Chapel	Mrs. Kenneth B. Sigmon, Rt.2, Box 222,Catawba	28609	0	0	0	40	139	0	0	200	0	100	0	0	0	479	479
Mt. Anderson	Mrs. Woodrow Isenhower, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	200	285	25	99	160	25	100	100	25	841	1,860	1,860
Mt. Ruhama	Miss Beda Campbell, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	8,055	1,019	422	669	2,000	31	517	633	128	1,955	15,429	15,429
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Wanda M. Murphy, Hwy.275, Box 1702, Stanley	28164	0	0	0	1,861	372	301	518	1,217	103	442	76	102	140	5,132	5,132
Mountain View	Mrs. Everette A. Caldwell, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	1,674	485	225	350	812	229	369	323	207	317	4,991	4,991
North Brook	Mrs. Tom H. Wehunt, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	0	0	0	1,428	277	124	35	206	50	101	158	75	0	2,454	2,454
Oak Grove	Miss Yvonne Crouse, Rt.2, Box 246-C, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	1,511	50	10	46	214	10	10	10	10	0	1,871	1,871
Olivet	Miss Una Mae Brown, Rt. 2, Box 112, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	2,319	305	97	192	583	0	898	65	0	217	4,676	4,676
Pearl	Mrs. Nora Beam, Rt.1, Box 59, Iron Station	28080	0	0	0	1,400	400	59	197	396	35	100	33	38	47	2,705	2,705
Piney Grove	Mrs. Webb A. Wilkinson, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	240	120	0	70	103	0	110	10	0	34	687	687
Poole's Chapel																	
Reepsville	Mrs. Ruth Boyd, Rt.2, Vale	28168	0	0	0	3,688	425	98	521	1,675	0	128	68	26	110	6,739	6,739
River View	Mrs. Kate Cooke, Rt.4, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	3,849	558	80	98	768	21	59	30	16	17	5,496	5,496
Roseland	Miss Terry Colvard, 321 E. Carter St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	25	25	222	297	297
Salem	Mrs. Bobby Hord, Rt.3, Box 415, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	2,000	700	0	1,121	346	0	200	200	0	0	4,567	4,567
Sharon	Mrs. Kenneth Shull, Rt.1, Iron Station	28080	0	0	0	250	100	50	50	557	0	50	35	50	0	1,142	1,142
Southside	Mrs. Glenn Morrison, PO Box 101, Lincolnton	28092	0	215	215	6,608	800	137	279	908	250	173	356	116	954	10,579	10,794
Temple	Mrs. Doral Williams. 1018 E. Catawba St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	49	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	167	216	216
Westport	Mrs. H. P. Bearden, Box 117, Rt.1, Mount Holly	28120	0	0	0	159	38	0	38	188	0	0	12	0	0	435	435
Westside																	
TOTAL			0	215	215	106,146	16,565	3,517	9,813	29,476	2,347	9,071	4,906	2,061	12,010	195,912	196,127

TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1971 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork
State: North Carolina
Moderator: Earl Henry
Address: P.O. Box 441 City: Lincolnton State: North Carolina Zip: 28092

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	19 No. church-type missions started during the year	20 No. church-type missions currently operating	21 No. other-type missions started during the year	22 No. other-type missions currently operating	23 Committees existing during past year: Church property and space	24 Stewardship	25 History	26 Missions	27 Public Relations	28 Does church have or observe? Kindergarten	29 Library	30 Recreation staff	31 State paper in budget	32 Ch. Council/Cabinet	33 Weekday child care	34 Television ministry	35 Radio ministry	36 Department or class for the mentally retarded	37 Life Commitment Sunday	38 Race Relations Sunday	39 Does church participate in Annuity Board prog.? Y	N	If yes, check staff positions included: Pastor	Assistant pastor	Minister of education	Music director or Song leader	Other staff	40 Does church plan or participate in a major building program within the year? Y	N	41 Number ordained for Gospel ministry during the year	42 Number of deacons	43 Number of college students baptized during the year
Amity	John Carpenter, Rt.1, Iron Station 28080	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y						N	0	2	2
Antioch		0	0	0	0	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y					Y		0	0	0
Bethel	Billy Caudle, Rt.1, Maiden 28650	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N							N	0	5	0
Boger City	Bob Jetton, Rt.1, Vale 28168	0	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y		Y				N	0	12	0
Calvary	Paul Stamey, Rt.1, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y						N	0	9	0
Cedar Grove	Arnold Mills, Rt.2, Maiden 28650	0	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N							N	0	0	0
Center View	J. L. Laney, Rt.1, Maiden 28650	0	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y					Y		0	1	0
Coral Park	David Spivey, Rt.5, Box289, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N							N	0	3	0
Craig Memorial	Floyd Jonas, Woodhaven Pk., Stanley 28164	0	0	0	0	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y								N	0	2	0
Crouse		0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N							N	0	5	0
David Memorial	Donald McSwain, Rt.1, Iron Station 28080	0	0	0	0	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N		N							N	0	0	0
Faith	Vernon Lineberger, Rt.1, Iron Station 28080	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y						N	0	10	0
Fellowship	Marvin Mauney, PO Box 108, Stanley 28164	0	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N						Y		0	2	0
Friendly Chapel	Darris Lee Turbyfill, Rt.1, Maiden 28650	0	0	0	0	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N							N	0	0	0
Gainsville	Ralph Hawkins, Rt.1, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y								N	0	1	0
Howard's Creek	Marshall G.Gilbert, Rt.1, Box432, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N							N	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel	Roby A. Stewart, Rt.2, Box 37, Catawba 28609	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N							N	0	0	0
Hull's Grove	M.J.Gilbert, Rt.1, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y						N	0	0	0
Lawing's Chapel		0	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y						N	0	0	0
Leonard's Fork	Vance Heavner, Box 43, Rt.1, Crouse 28033	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y						N	0	4	0
Lincoln Avenue	J.W.Schronce, 310 Dale Ave., Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y		Y						N	0	9	0
Lincolnton, First	Don Pendleton, P.O. Box159, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y		Y			Y	Y		N	0	1	1
Lincolnton, North																																	
Lincolnton, West	Fred J.Smith, 37 Railroad St., Lincolnton 28092	1	3	2	6	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N							N	0	7	0
Long Shoals	J.Fred Gates, Rt. 4, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N							N	0	6	0

Macedonia	Blair Wilkinson, Rt.1, Denver	28037	O	O	O	O	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y						N	O	13	O
Maiden, East	Ray Withers, Rt.1, Newton	28658	O	O	O	O	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y						N	O	12	1
Maiden, First	Hubert Morrow, P.O. Box 481, Maiden	28650	O	O	O	O	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y		Y				N	O	12	O
Massapoag	John Clark, 210 Little St.,Lincolnton	28092	O	O	O	O	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y						N	O	2	O
Mathis Chapel	Floyd Sigmon, Rt.2, Catawba	28609	O	O	O	O	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N							N	O	O	O
Mt. Anderson	Vernon Caldwell, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	O	O	O	O																													
Mt. Ruhama	Harry Abernethy, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	O	O	O	O	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y						N	O	16	O
Mt. Zion	Dan Long, Rt.1, Alexis	28006	O	O	O	O	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y						N	O	O	O
Mountain View	L. P. Gilleland, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	O	O	O	O	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y						N	O	O	O
North Brook	Clyde Warlick, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	O	O	O	O	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y						N	O	O	O
Oak Grove	Clinton Leatherman, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	O	O	O	O	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y		Y						N	O	3	O
Olivet	Henry C. Gabriel, Sherrills Ford	28673	O	O	O	1	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y						N	O	O	O
Pearl	Ernest Ledford, Rt.3, Lincolnton	28092	O	O	O	O	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N							N	O	5	O
Piney Grove			O	O	O	O	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y			Y			N	O	1	O
Poole's Chapel																																			
Reepsville	M.L.Scronce, 814 S. Government St.,Lincolnton	28092	O	O	O	O	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y		Y						N	O	O	O
River View	Claude Rudisill, Rt.4, Lincolnton	28092	O	O	O	O	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y		Y						N	O	1	O
Roseland	Preston Green, 2303 E. Main St.,Lincolnton	28092	O	O	O	O	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N							N	O	O	O
Salem	James A. Peeler, Jr., Rt.3, Lincolnton	28092	O	O	O	O	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y						N	O	O	O
Sharon	Boyce Long, Rt.1, Iron Station	28080	O	O	O	O	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N						Y		O	6	O
Southside	Bob Johnson, Rt.4, Box 449, Lincolnton	28092	O	O	O	O	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y				Y	Y		O	O	O
Temple	John Rhodes, 338 S. Oak St., Lincolnton	28092	O	O	O	O	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N							N	O	3	O
Westport	Philip Bearden, Box117-B,Rt.1,Mt.Holly	28120	O	O	O	O	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y		Y				Y		N	O	2	2
Westside																																			
TOTAL																															O	155	6

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October 23, 1973

and

SOUTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
Lincolnton, North Carolina
October 24, 1973

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"Commit thy way unto the Lord; trust also in him and he shall bring it to pass."
Psalm 37:5

John Morris Baker, the son of John and Ann Pardue Baker, was born in Wilkes County, North Carolina on July 5, 1900. He and Ethel Wilkie of Shelby, North Carolina who survives him were married on October 10, 1919. They had three children, Mrs. Bernice Stafford, Mrs. Dorothy Bondurant and the late Charles Baker, all of Lincolnton.

Brother Baker spent thirty-six years as a pastor and evangelist, serving churches in North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Louisiana and Mississippi. Of the fifteen churches he served as pastor, five were in the South Fork Baptist Association – Boger City, Friendly Chapel, Lincoln Avenue, Salem and Sharon. At the time of his death, September 6, 1972 he was pastor of Zion Hill Baptist Church, Boomer, North Carolina.

Brother Baker's life was characterized by his Christlike concern for people and the demonstration of genuine love of his family and friends.

Herbert Baxter Jones was born September 6, 1889 in Catawba County, He only had the opportunity of attending grade school, but by continual self-study he became an educated man.

Mt. Zion Church ordained him on July 31, 1927 and Boger City Church extended a call the same year. He remained there as pastor for twenty years. His entire ministry was served in the South Fork Association including Amity, Antioch, Bethel, Center View, Faith and Kid's Chapel Churches. He was truly dedicated to his Lord and served faithfully in each church to which he ministered.

On August 4, 1906 he married Gordie Lowe who preceeded him in death. He was married the second time on November 1, 1949 to Christine Thompson Abernethy who presently survives him.

Brother Jones took great delight in farming. He liked to see things grow. Hunting and fishing made him an avid sportsman. It was while working in his garden on September 15, 1972, the Lord called him home. He will be missed by his many friends and all who knew him.

DIRECTORY OF THE ASSOCIATION

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Donald W. Ferrell, Route 2, Box 215, Newton 28658 ..... Brotherhood Director
Mrs. J. E. Helms, Route 1, Box 420, Lincolnton 28092 ..... W. M. U. Director
Kennith D. Adams, Route 2, Maiden 28650 ..... Music Director

COMMITTEES

Committee on Committees		
One year	Melvin D. Rabb	David Jordan, Chairman
Two years	Coy H. Dellinger	David Ross
Three years	Charles N. Cranford	Perry Lee Wilkinson
Executive Committee		
One year	W. Horace Crouse	R. Ray Withers
Two years	Cecil L. Ballard, Chairman	J. M. Sherrill
Three years	Winfred M. Turner	Elliott Loftin
Finance Committee		
One year	Billy C. Beaver	Sam T. Lattimore
Two years	Charles N. Cranford, Chairman	Fred Hawkins, Sr.
Three years	Alvin L. Hoyle	John Clark
Missions Committee		
One year	William Justice	Bobby S. Hord
Two years	Robert A. Cantwell, Chairman	Dwight Carpenter
Three years	Donald W. Ferrell	Mike Groce
Nominating Committee		
One year	Carl Helms	Emmitt Turbyfill
Two years	Coy H. Dellinger, Chairman	E. Z. Willis
Three years	Floyd T. Kirksey	Bill Hoffman
Program Committee		
One year	Charles Ingle, Chairman	Mrs. Earl Henry
Two years	Melvin D. Rabb	Kennith Adams
Three years	D. Harding Caldwell	Miss Ellen Bridges
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One year	Ralph F. Webb, Jr., Chairman	
Two years	B. J. Morris	
Three years	Daniel Featherstone	
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One year	Parks C. Harris, Chairman	L. Vernon Connell
Two years	Glenn Murphy	Richard V. Martin, Jr.
Three years	J. C. Beal	Guy P. Helms
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One year	Mrs. Cecil Ballard	
Two years	Loyd Spencer, Chairman	
Three years	Paul U. McAlpin	
Stewardship Committee		
One year	A. H. Staton	
Two years	James F. Collette, Chairman	
Three years	Joe D. Drum	
Christian Life Committee		
One year	Alvin Stewart	
Two years	Fred A. Carpenter, Chairman	
Three years	Harold L. Brown	

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FELLOWSHIP ..... Curtis Knight, Route 1, Iron Station 28080
HOWARD'S CREEK ..... Henry A. Ikerd, Box 417, Dallas 28034
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MOUNTAIN VIEW ..... Albert R. Waters, Denver 28037
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SALEM ..... Harvey Cloninger, Route 3, Lincolnton 28092
Verlin Ray, Route 3, Lincolnton 28092
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MATHIS CHAPEL ..... Sam Loftin, Route 1, Catawba 28609
MT. RUHAMA ..... Ricky Josey, Route 2, Newton 28658
PINEY GROVE ..... Ronald Arndt, Route 2, Newton 28658
RIVER VIEW ..... George Caldwell, Route 1, Lincolnton 28092
Joe Rhyne, Route 4, Lincolnton 28092
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AMITY ..... Leon Davis, Route 1, Iron Station 28080
CENTER VIEW ..... Bill Cook, Box 247, Catawba 28609
SHARON ..... Bobby Nantz, Route 1, Iron Station 28080

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AMITY ..... Lander Heafner, Route 1, Iron Station 28080
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LINCOLNTON, NORTH ..... Silas Hart, Route 5, Lincolnton 28092
LONG SHOALS ..... Joe Woodie, Lincolnton 28092
MATHIS CHAPEL ..... Curtis Loftin, Route 1, Catawba 28609
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OLIVET ..... David Arndt, Sherrill's Ford 28673
PEARL ..... Terrell Robinson, Maiden 28650
C. A. Smith, Route 1, Iron Station 28080
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AMITY - Mrs. Elsie Davis, Mrs. Jesse Davis, Mrs. L. Ingle, Dan Reel, Jr., Louise Reel, Tom Reel, C. Blaine Sigmon, Winfred Turner

ANTIOCH - Jessie Baumgardner, Mrs. Jane Beal, R. G. Blackburn, Pink Leatherman, Vertie Leatherman, Eva Smith, R. A. Smith

BETHEL - Alvin Hoyle, Mrs. Alvin Hoyle, Wilma Sigmon, W. M. Turner, Mrs. W. M. Turner

BOGER CITY - Mrs. Forrest Caldwell, Mrs. P. A. Herman, Mrs. Clarence Holly, B. J. Morris

CALVARY - Harold L. Brown, Sr., Mrs. Harold L. Brown, Mrs. Fred Hawkins, Sr.

CEDAR GROVE - E. M. James, Rebecca J. Scronce, Steven R. Scronce, Mrs. Charles Withers, Charles Withers

CENTER VIEW - Paul K. Drum, Parks C. Harris, Mrs. Evelyn Turbyfill, Wilvie Turbyfill

CORAL PARK - Marshall Black

CRAIG MEMORIAL - James F. Collette, Mrs. James F. Collette, Mrs. Roger Fisher, Rosa Merck

CROUSE - John C. Beal, Mae Carpenter, Wilma Gantt, Betty Loftin, Elliott Loftin

DAVID MEMORIAL - Lela Spencer, Loyd Spencer

FAITH - Charles Ingle, Mrs. Charles Ingle

FELLOWSHIP - Joe D. Drum, Pat Mauney, Alton Walker

FRIENDLY CHAPEL - none

GAINESVILLE - Forest Black, Mrs. Frank Elmore, Mrs. J. B. Heavner, Mrs. Norma Johnson, Oscar Kistler, O. R. Tutherow, Mrs. O. R. Tutherow

HOWARD'S CREEK - Bill Gilbert

HUDSON CHAPEL - Mrs. Alice Huffman, W. S. Leatherman, Paul U. McAlpin, Miss Ruby Stewart

HULL'S GROVE - Cecil L. Ballard, Jean Bass, Lester Brendle, Mrs. Lester Brendle, Mrs. H. C. Self, Mrs. Kenneth Wehunt

LAWING'S CHAPEL - Mrs. Clyde Carter, Mrs. A. L. Henry, Mrs. Paul Hilton, Mrs. Ruth Lovings, Mrs. Johnnie Shubert

LEONARD'S FORK - Mrs. Jonah Hager, Mattie Holt, William Justice, Mrs. William Justice, Mrs. Ida Thomas

LINCOLN AVENUE - Earl Henry, Mrs. Earl Henry, Mrs. Richard F. Moody, Mrs. Theron Price, Alvin Sain, Mrs. William Stamey, Delores White

LINCOLNTON, FIRST - Mrs. Maude Abernathy, Mrs. Harry L. Davis, Mrs. Edna E. Hallman, Winslow Hallman, Mrs. Winslow Hallman, C. J. Turner, Sr., Mrs. C. J. Turner, Sr., Eph Whisenhunt

LINCOLNTON, NORTH - Mrs. James Hoyle, A. L. Whitesides, Mrs. Ethel Whitesides

LINCOLNTON, WEST - Mrs. Frances Chapman, Mrs. Nora Shelton

LONG SHOALS - Mrs. Grady Bumgarner, Bobbie Gates, Mrs. Lola Gates

MACEDONIA - Ann Ballard, Mrs. Mary Ballard, George Fox, Mrs. George Fox, Mrs. Guy Goodson, Carl Helms, Mrs. John E. Lockman, Mrs. E. B. Wilkinson, Jr.

MAIDEN, EAST - Mrs. Della Campbell, Jim Canipe, Mrs. Jim Canipe, Mrs. Gordon Keener, Mrs. Luke Parker, Melvin D. Rabb, Mrs. Melvin Rabb, Mrs. Eva Yoder

MAIDEN, FIRST - Kennith D. Adams, Billy C. Beaver, Ray Danner, James B. McQuere Mrs. James B. McQuere, Mrs. Claude Story, Mrs. Florence Wilkinson, Richard A. Williams

MASSAPOAG - Mrs. Elma Aiken, John Clark, Mrs. John Clark, Floyd Kirksey, Mrs. Floyd Kirksey, Mrs. Gertrude Kiser,

MATHIS CHAPEL - A. V. Lockee, W. B. Lynch, Mrs. W. B. Lynch, Bobby L. Taylor Mrs. Bobby Taylor

MOUNT ANDERSON - Eunice Caldwell, Wade H. Caldwell, Fred A. Carpenter, Mrs. Fred A. Carpenter, Mrs. Ora B. Herman, Mrs. Woodrow Isenhower, Mrs. Austin Josey

MOUNT RUHAMA - Mrs. D. H. Caldwell, Mrs. Ray Von Caldwell, Don Ferrell, Mrs. Donald Ferrell, Mrs. Clarence Hoyle, Mrs. Gene Sherill, Mrs. Kenneth Traville,
MOUNT ZION - Mrs. L. A. McClure, A. P. Millen, Mrs. W. E. Stroupe, Jr.
MOUNTAIN VIEW - D. Harding Caldwell, Mrs. D. Harding Caldwell, H. P. Dellinger, Mrs. Mamie Goodson, Mrs. Maudie Lawing, Ethel Moore, Lee Moore, Mrs. Ada Woodard
NORTH BROOK - Robert Adams, Mrs. Lee Bess, Coy Dellinger, Mrs. Coy Dellinger, Mrs. John Hilton
OAK GROVE - W. Horace Crouse, Pauline Crouse,
OLIVET - Mrs. James Harwell, Billy C. Hoffman, Mrs. Bill Hoffman, Mrs. Reid Martin, Jannie Parker
PEARL - Addie Dellinger, Lillian Dellinger, Charlie Jenkins, Glenn Murphy, Mrs. Glenn Murphy, Forrest Sain, Mrs. Forrest Sain, Mrs. C. A. Smith, Thelma Smith
PINEY GROVE - None
POOL'S CHAPEL - None
REEPSVILLE - Mrs. Ruth Boyd, Mrs. Janice Hoover, W. M. Scronce, Mrs. W. M. Scronce, Ralph Webb, Jr.
RIVER VIEW - Mrs. Ernest Friday, Cecil E. Ramsey, B. L. Rhyne, Mrs. B. L. Rhyne
ROSELAND - J. W. Crouse, Mrs. C. E. Gantt
SALEM - Mrs. Joe Babb, W. H. Boyles, Charles N. Cranford, Glenn Dellinger, Mrs. Glenn Dellinger, John McLeod, Mrs. Catherine McLeod, Herbert Rhyne, Rannie Sigmon
SHARON - Will Schronce, Mrs. Will Schronce, Mrs. Kenneth Shull
SOUTHSIDE - Betty Dameron, Kemp Harris, Mrs. Kemp Harris, Kenneth Link, Peggy Lynch, Mrs. Robert Whitesides,
TEMPLE - None
WESTPORT - Mrs. Helen Harris, Robert L. Saunders, Mrs. Robert L. Saunders, Mrs. Franklin Stilwell, Mrs. Tommy Williams

Constitution

Preamble

We, the Missionary Baptist Churches of Jesus Christ, composing the South Fork Baptist Association, convinced of the necessity of an association of churches in order to promote fellowship, missions education, Christian service, the preaching of the gospel, and to cooperate with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention in their work, do hereby agree and subscribe to the following articles.

Article I NAME

The name of the body shall be the South Fork Baptist Association of North Carolina.

Article II MEMBERSHIP

The membership of the Association shall be composed of the duly elected messengers from the cooperating Baptist Churches in the South Fork Baptist Association, three for the first one hundred members or fraction thereof, and one for each additional one hundred members or fraction thereof, provided that no church shall have more than ten messengers in addition to the pastor. All Pastors of churches in the Association and the Director of Missions shall be recognized as messengers.

Article III AUTHORITY

This Association claims to be independent and sovereign in its own sphere, but shall never attempt to exercise any authority over the internal affairs of the churches.

Article IV ARTICLES OF FAITH

The Articles of Faith of this Association, which shall be the basis of fellowship and cooperation, are those adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention in Memphis, Tennessee on May 14, 1925 and amended in Kansas City, Missouri, May 9, 1963.

Article V MEETINGS

The Association shall meet annually on Tuesday and Wednesday after the third Sunday in October. The Moderator shall call special meetings of the Association upon the recommendation of the Executive Committee, provided two weeks notice is given to the member churches.

Article VI OFFICERS

The officers of the Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Parliamentarian, Historian, Libarian and three Trustees. They shall be elected by the Association in its annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting. Vacancies occuring between annual meetings shall be filled by the Executive Committee, except the office of Moderator, in which the Vice-Moderator shall automatically become Moderator.

Article VII ORGANIZATIONS

The Association shall encourage and promote such associational organizations as Sunday School, Church Training, Women's Missionary Union, Brotherhood, Music and such other organizations which are in keeping with the purpose of this Association with their full staffs and programs necessary for the promotion of the work. The officers of these organizations shall be elected by the Association in its annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting. Vacancies occuring between annual meetings shall be filled by the Executive Committee.

Article VIII ASSOCIATIONAL BOARD

The Association shall have an Associational Board composed of the officers of the Association, the Director of Missions, the Associational Sunday School Director, the Associational Church Training Director, the Associational W.M.U. Director, the Associational Brotherhood Director, the Associational Music Director, the pastors of the member churches, and two members from each member church to be elected by the church. The two members from each church shall be duly certified in the annual letter.

Article IX ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL

The Association shall have an Associational Council composed of the Director of Missions as chairman, the Moderator, the Associational Sunday School Director, the Associational Church Training Director, the Associational W.M.U. Director, the Associational Brotherhood Director, the Associational Music Director, the chairman of the Executive Committee and the Chairman of Evangelism.

Article X COMMITTEES

The Moderator shall appoint at the annual meeting of the Association a committee on Committees, consisting of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.

The Association shall have the following standing committees, along with other committees authorized by the Association or the Associational Board.

1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of the Moderator, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, the Chairman of the Missions Committee and six other members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
2. The Finance Committee shall be composed of the Treasurer and six other members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
3. The Missions Committee shall be composed of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
4. The Nominating Committee shall be composed of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
5. The Program Committee shall be composed of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
6. The Evangelism Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.
7. The Ordination Committee shall be composed of six pastors.
8. The Resolutions Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.
9. The Stewardship Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.
10. The Christian Life Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.

Article XI NEW CHURCHES

The Association may receive other churches into its fellowship upon receipt of letters of dismission from other like associations. It may also receive newly constituted churches whose Articles of Faith harmonize with the generally accepted Articles of Faith among Southern Baptist. Any newly organized church applying for membership in the Association shall be received under the watchcare for a period of time sufficient to prove, through practice and attitude, its place as a cooperating Baptist church. A church, upon organization, may apply for membership through the Executive Committee of the Association. If, in the judgment of the Missions Committee, such church has met the requirements stated above, the Missions Committee may recommend at the next annual meeting that such church be received into the full fellowship of the Association. During this period of watchcare such churches shall be entitled to all rights and privileges of the Association except that their members shall not hold office nor vote.

Article XII DISCIPLINE

Any church failing to report the annual letter to the Association, or failing to be represented at the annual meeting, or failing to contribute worthily to Associational and Denominational Missions, for two consecutive years, shall be notified by the Executive Committee that if their failure is not remedied by the next annual meeting, recommendation shall be made to remove said church from the fellowship of the Association.

Articles XIII CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES

This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of the Association by a two-thirds majority of the messengers present and voting on the second day, at a time provided by the Program Committee, provided the proposed amendment has been presented to the Executive Committee in writing at least thirty days prior to the annual meeting, and provided the proposed amendment is read to the Association on the first day of the annual meeting.

Article XIV QUORUM

Messengers from thirty-three and one third percent of the churches enrolled as members of the Association shall constitute a quorum.

By-Laws

By-Law I Parliamentary Rules

The Parliamentary authority of the Association shall be Robert's Rules of Order (latest revised edition).

By-Law II. Associational Year

The Associational year shall begin October 1 and close September 30.

By-Law III. Meetings

The regular meetings of the Association shall be held at such places as may be decided by the Association in regular session. Change of places that may become necessary shall be decided by the Executive Committee. Each session of the Association shall be opened and closed with prayer.

By-Law IV. Election of Officers

Nominations for Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer shall be made from the floor. The Nominating Committee will present names for all other officers.

By-Law V. Duties of Officers

1. The Moderator shall preside over the meetings of the Association according to the Constitution and By-Laws, and appoint a Committee on Committees. He shall be chairman of the Associational Board and shall be a member of all committees. He shall be ineligible to suceed himself after the second successive term.

2. The Vice Moderator shall preside in the absence, or at the pleasure of the Moderator, and shall be vice chairman of the Associational Board.

3. The Clerk shall send annual report forms to the member churches at least thirty days prior to the annual Associational meeting. Keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the Association, supervise the printing and the distributing of the Minutes to the member churches, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee, keep on file copies of the minutes, records and other documents of the Association, and serve as Secretary of the Associational Board. For these services the Clerk may receive an honorarium annually to be decided by the Association.

4. The Treasurer shall receive and bank all funds of the Association in the name of the Association, disburse the same upon instructions from the Association, its Associational Board or as designated in the budget; render an accurate report of receipts and disbursements at the annual meeting, give a report at each quarterly Associational Board meeting; and keep books available and up to date for examination. For mutual protection the Treasurer shall be bonded in such an amount as the Executive Committee shall direct. For these services the Treasurer may receive an honorarium annually to be decided by the Association.

5. The Parliamentarian shall advise and assist the Moderator and the Association with respect to all matters involving proper parliamentary procedure.

6. The Historian shall collect and preserve historical data on the Association and its churches, and shall present a written report at each annual meeting of the Association.

7. The Librarian shall direct and supervise the Library Program of the Association and shall present a written report at each annual meeting of the Association.

8. The three Trustees shall be the legal representatives of the Association in all matters concerning the acquiring or disposing of property, and shall execute in the name of the Association all legal instruments as directed by the Association or the Associational Board.

By Law VI. Duties of Organizational Leaders

1. The Associational Sunday School Director shall promote and supervise the Sunday School Program of the Association, and shall be responsible for the direction of the Vacation Bible School work of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

2. The Associational Church Training Director shall promote and supervise the Church Training Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

3. The Associational Woman's Missionary Director shall promote and supervise the Woman's Missionary Union Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions and in keeping with the Constitution and By-Laws of Woman's Missionary Union of South Fork Baptist Association.

4. The Associational Brotherhood Director shall promote and supervise the Brotherhood Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

5. The Associational Music Director shall promote and supervise the Music Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

By-Law VII. The Associational Board

The Associational Board shall hold four quarterly meetings and others as necessary, and present a written report to the Association at its annual meeting. It shall be the duty of the Associational Board to act for the Association in the interim between annual meetings. It shall carry out the policies and will of the Association.

By-Law VIII. The Associational Council

The Associational Council shall coordinate the activities of the Associational organizations and plan and promote an Associationol calendar of activities. It shall meet at least once per quarter.

By-Law IX. Duties of Committees

1. The Committee on Committees shall nominate the members of the several standing committees and present them for election by Association, fill any vacancies that may occur between annual meetings and report these to the Associational Board; and appoint special committees that may be authorized by the Association or its Associational Board.

2. The Executive Committee shall administer all matters committed to it by the Association or its Associational Board and decide on routine and emergency matters between sessions of the Associational Board. It shall initiate and recommend matters concerning business management and approve the employment of all personnel, except the Director of Missions. It shall accept applications for membership in the Association from newly constituted churches and may receive said churches under watchcare until the next annual meeting. It shall provide annually for an audit of the Treasurer's records and report the condition of the financial records to the Association. It sholl give full guidance and direction to the Director of Missions in formulating plans and promoting the work of the Association in general. It shall meet monthly but a quorum of five shall be necessary to transact business. It shall report quarterly to the Associational Board.

3. The Finance Committee shall plan and present to the Associational Board in its last meeting prior to the annual meeting of the Association an annual budget to be approved by the Board and then present to the Association in its annual meeting for final approval. This committee shall have the general oversight and administration of the financial affairs of the association, and make a quarterly report to the Associational Board.

4. The Missions Committee shall survey communities which appear to be in need of new Baptist work and ministry; seek to enlist churches to sponsor new work in such communities; give guidance and council in procuring temporary and permanent sites for locating such work in accord with Associational policy; and make recommendations to the Association or its Associational Board as to the missionary needs which might be best met through cooperative efforts. It shall odvise with any group considering a new church and assist in organizing new churches. It shall make recommendations to the Association concerning all churches under watchcare.

5. The Nominating Committee shall nominate at the annual meeting of the Association the officers of the Association and organizational officers according to Articles V and VI of the Contitution and Associational representatives for the various institutions and agencies of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

6. The Program Committee shall prepare a printed program for the annual meeting of the Association which shall be sent to all persons on the program and to all pastors at least thirty days before the annual meeting. It shall direct the enrolment of the messengers at the annual meeting. It shall recommend the place or places for the next annual meeting and the preacher and alternate for the annual sermon.

7. The Evangelism Committee shall promote the total program of Evangelism within the churches of the Association.

8. The Ordination Committee shall, upon request by a member church, assist with the examination and ordination of a candidate for the gospel ministry.

9. The Resolutions Committee shall present to the Association any resolutions it may deem wise. All resolutions presented to the Association shall be referred to the Resolutions Committee, except that by a two-thirds vote of the messengers present on the first day of the Associational meeting, the rules may be suspended and a resolution may be taken up for immediate consideration.

10. The Stewardship Committee shall promote the total program of Stewardship within the churches of the Association. It shall assist the Finance Committee in the promotion of the Associational budget.

11. The Christian Life Committee shall recommend ways in which the Association can work for the promotion of civic righteousness and social uplift.

12. Members of all committees shall be elected to serve on a rotating basis of not more than three years.

By-Law X. Employment Procedures

The Association shall employ a Director of Missions who shall be recommended by the Executive Committee and elected by the Association or the Associational Board. The Director of Missions shall work under the guidance of the Executive Committee and serve as a member of all committees. All other employed personnel, as may be provided in the Associational budget, shall be employed by the Executive Committee.

By-Law XI. Amendments

Amendments to the By-Laws may be made at any annual meeting by a majority of the messengers present.

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS JOB DESCRIPTION

I. Chief Administrative Office of the Association.

II. Relationships

1. Responsible to the Executive Committee of the Association. He shall meet with and report to the Executive Committee at least monthly.
2. General supervision of the personnel and program of the Association as they function through the Associational office.
3. Work primarily with the Associational general officers, committees, and organizations.
4. Work closely with auxiliary organizations (Pastors' conference, Ministers' wives, etc.)
5. Lead in maintaining relationships with State and SBC agencies.
6. Implement inter-action with outside agencies which may be beneficial to the program of the Association (American Bible Society, Christian Action League, news media, etc.)

III. Duties

1. Administrative

   a. Administer policies and instructions committed to him by the Association, its Associational Board or Executive Committee.

   b. Work closely with the Associational officers, committees, and organizations to help each group determine (1) its opportunities and objectives based on the needs in the churches; (2) its procedures and programs for achieving these objectives.

   c. Keep up-to-date information on population development throughout the area of the Association by means of area religious surveys; watch for mission needs, carefully studying areas with potential opportunities for new missions and churches with the assistance of the churches in said areas; make necessary recommendations to the Association or Associational Board concerning the location and purchase of property for new work within the area; to enlist the support of an already established church to sponsor new work.

   d. Encourage churches to extend their witness through new ministries such as day care centers, juvenile rehabilitation programs, prison work, etc.

   e. Assist the Associational organization heads in the development of annual and long-range objectives; set goals and make plans for their attainment.

   f. Correlate the work of all organizations and committees of the Association and publish a calendar of activities.

   g. Supervise the Associational staff (when such staff is employed) in their assigned tasks.

   h. Have general oversight of purchasing equipment and supplies within the approved budget, after having presented request to the Executive Committee in its monthly meeting.

   i. Help establish a rapport between the various organizations and groups within the Association in reference to policies and procedures by working closely with committee chairmen, by properly and unprejudicially conveying the actions and recommendations to the Executive Committee or Associational Board or to the Association in session.

   j. Inform State and Southern Convention agencies of needs, problems and protentialities within the Association.

   k. Keep abreast and well informed of all new programs of the State and the SBC and make himself available for the interpreting of such programs to the churches within the Associational area.

2. Counselor-Shepherd

   At the request of church leaders he shall counsel with leaders and/or churches with reference to (1) programs and procedures in their churches; (2) calling a pastor or other staff member (he shall not make recommendations to churches within the Associational area unless requested to do so); (3) actual or threatened breach of fellowship; (4) church objectives and policies; (5) assist pastors and others in counseling those who are called into church-related vocations.

3. In The Churches

   a. He shall establish an harmonious working relationship between himself and the pastor and leaders of the churches within the Associational area by the following means: (1) Systematic visitation of services of the Associational churches; (2) pulpit supply; (3) study courses; (4) missionary addresses; (5) teaching in Sunday School; (6) special day addresses; (7) ordination services; (8) planning and leading of Vacation Bible Schools; (9) revival meetings; (10) stewardship emphasis (for items 2-10 any remuneration received shall be considered that of the Director of Missions for services rendered unless otherwise instructed by the remunerator); (11) Deacons meetings, if requested to attend by the chairman; (12) assembly programs; (13) interpret phases of associational work, particularly when new work is being proposed for the association and especially to new churches and missions; (14) planning budgets; (15) planning buildings; (16) presenting Associational objectives and long-range plans; (17) evaluating for churches, at their request, associational curriculum, procedures, constitution and by-laws.

4. In The Association Office

   a. Personal correspondence, promotional mail and telephoning pertinent to his work. (The Director of Missions shall be expected to set up and maintain specific office hours - approximately four hours per day.)

b. Office conferences, answers to inquires, etc.

c. Assist Associational officers, committees and the organizational heads to get out promotional mail pertinent to their work (clerical work by the Director of Missions shall be kept to a very minimum and with the approval of the Association a secretary on at least a part-time basis shall be employed, upon the Executive Committee's approval.)

5. Reports

Reports shall be made to the Executive Committee monthly and to the Associational Board quarterly. Said reports to include the work activities of the Director of Missions including office hours kept, meetings conducted and/or attended, churches attended, church services participated in, days spent on the field, miles traveled, conferences held, etc. These reports should be distributed in mimeographed form at least. quarterly.

POLICY STATEMENT:

The Director of Missions and the Association should have a clear understanding of policies vital to their relationship.

1. Term of service.

According to By-Law X the Director of Missions shall be recommended by the Executive Committee and elected by the Association or the Associational Board. He shall be called on the same basis that a church pastor is normally called for service. The Director of Missions service may be terminated either by himself after having given at least ninety days notice or by the Associational Board after a ninety days notice has been given. In the event the Association finds it necessary to terminate the services of the Director of Missions, he shall be paid thirty days severance pay.

2. The salary of the Director of Missions shall be recommended by the Finance Committee and adopted by the Association in its annual meeting. Fringe benefits and/or expense accounts shall also be stipulated in the annual budget of the Association. Honorariums shall be handled as previously described in Item III, section3, points 2-10.

3. Method of Salary Control.

The Finance Committee shall give careful study to the work of the Director of Missions at the close of each year, the existing economy, increases in the Missionary's expenses, etc., and shall recommend necessary adjustments in salary.

4. The Director of Missions will be granted two weeks vacation annually. In addition, he shall have one designated day per week off from his work, said day to be other than Sunday or Wednesday. The Association agrees that the Missions Director will have the necessary time involved to attend denominational meetings, such as Vacation Bible School clinics, annual Mission Superintendents' conferences, Southern Baptists and State Conventions, the State Evangelistic Conferences, etc., provided conditions in the Association permit and attendance at said Conferences are approved by the Executive Committee.

5. Revival

The Missions Director may not accept more than three weeks of services each year which require him to be away from the field of service. He may accept any number of revivals within the Association, provided this does not interfere with his normal work.

6. Sick Leave

It shall be understood that the salary of the Director of Missions shall be paid during the time when he may incur normal sicknesses, being confined either to his home or the hospital. In case of prolonged illness, 90 days or more, the Executive Committee shall confer with the Director of Missions and his physician if necessary to ascertain the probable extent of the time the Director shall be unable to perform his duties, upon the basis of that information they shall make recommendations to the Associational Board.

PROGRAM

THEME: "TOGETHER WE ADVANCE"

Tuesday, October 17, 1972
Amity Baptist Church

3:30 Registration	
4:00 Worship	Charles Q. Carter, Pastor First Baptist Church, Cherryville
4:15 Organization and Order of Business	
Welcome	
Recognition of Visitors	
Introduction of New Workers	Billy C. Beaver
4:30 Reports and Miscellaneous Business	
Treasurer	Mrs. J. E. Helms
Finance Committee	Elliott Loftin
Executive Committee	Cecil L. Ballard
Missions Committee	D. Harding Caldwell
Program Committee	Guy P. Helms
Scholarship Commission	John McLeod
Committee on Committees	David R. Jordan
Nominating Committee	Alvin L. Hoyle
5:00 Hymn	
5:05 Cooperative Program	Joseph O. Stroud Baptist State Convention
5:25 Scripture Reading and Prayer	W. Horace Crouse
Message in Music	Singing Lads Kennith Adams, Director
Annual Sermon	Fred A. Carpenter
6:00 Benediction	E. M. James

Supper

7:00 Worship	Charles Q. Carter
7:15 Message in Music	Gardner-Webb Choral Ensemble Dr. Jerry R. Hill, Director
7:30 Christian Higher Education Panel	Charles N. Cranford, Moderator
	Dr. Hugh L. McKinney, Campbell Dr. J. Roy Robinson, Gardner-Webb Robert Melvin, Mars Hill John T. Kanipe, Jr., Meredith Dr. Henry Stroupe, Wake Forest Dr. Budd E. Smith, Wingate

8:20 Hymn	
8:25 Christian Higher Education Address	Dr. N. A. Wiggins President Campbell College
9:00 Benediction	Harold L. Brown

Wednesday, October 18, 1972
Pearl Baptist Church

9:15 Worship	Charles Q. Carter
9:30 Christian Literature	J. Marse Grant
9:40 Baptist Foundation	C. Gordon Maddrey
9:50 Children's Homes	W. R. Wagoner
10:00 Director of Missions' Address	James B. McQuere
10:20 Hymn	
10:25 Homes for the Aging	William A. Poole
10:35 Hospital	Frank R. Campbell
10:45 South Mountain Camp	T. A. Lineberger
10:55 Election of Officers and Miscellaneous Business	
11:10 Hymn	
11:15 Memorial Service	D. Harding Caldwell
11:25 Message in Music	Judy Dudley
11:30 "Together We Advance"	Dr. Howard J. Ford Baptist State Convention
12:15 Benediction	Donald Ferrell

Lunch

PROCEEDINGS

October 17, 1972

The ninety-fourth annual session of the South Fork Baptist Association was called to order by Moderator, Earl Henry, at 4:00 P.M.

To begin the worship period Kennith Adams led the congregation in singing of the hymn "To God Be the Glory" with Delores White at the piano. Rev. Charles Q. Carter led the congregation in the responsive reading, Psalm 145:1-13 and spoke on the theme "Our Faith in God" and closed with prayer.

Melvin Rabb made a motion that the messengers now enrolled and those who shall subsequently be enrolled constitute the ninety-fourth annual session of the South Fork Baptist Association, Motion carried.

Melvin Rabb made a motion that the printed program with whatever changes may be necessary shall be the order of business for this annual session. Motion carried.

Winfred Turner welcomed the Association on behalf of the host church.

Visitors recognized were J. P. Ballard, Mooresville; Forest Black, Cherryville; Mrs. Louis Helderman, Alexis; John Kanipe, Meredith College and Alvin Walker, Newton.

The following new staff members in our churches were recognized by Billy C. Beaver: Mrs. Carolyn Baker and Mrs. Lois Walters, Boger City Church. New pastors: Harold L. Brown, Calvary; E. M. James, Cedar Grove; Edwin Sherrill, Friendly Chapel; Bobby Nantz, Howard's Creek; William Justice, Leonard's Fork; A. L. Whitesides, Lincolnton North; Leon Davis, Lincolnton West; Grady Bumgarner, Long Shoals; Donald W. Ferrell, Mt. Ruhama; J. D. Morris, Poole's Chapel; J. W. Crouse, Roseland and Jessie Ray Dennis, Westside.

The following reports were presented and adopted: Treasurer (pages 15-16) Mrs. J. E. Helms; Finance Committee (page 8) Elliott Loftin; Executive Committee (pages 6-7) Cecil Ballard; Missions Committee (page 11) D. Harding Caldwell; Committee on Committees (page 5) D. Harding Caldwell; Scholarship Commission (page 13) Mrs. James B. McQuere; Nominating Committee (pages 11-12) Alvin Hoyle. These reports are found in the Book of Reports.

James B. McQuere made a motion that the remaining reports in the Book of Reports, which are strictly for information be adopted as printed, Motion carried.

Earl Henry appointed the following to serve on Committee on Committees:

1 year - Melvin D. Rabb
3 years - Charles N. Cranford and Perry Lee Wilkinson
Chairman - David Jordan

Earl Henry stated that all motions or resolutions must be presented in writing.

Program Committee report by Melvin Rabb. We recommend:
1. That the ninety-fifth annual session meet with East Maiden Church on the first day and with Southside Church on the second day.
2. That W. Horace Crouse preach the annual sermon and Floyd T. Kirksey be the alternate.

Kennith Adams led the congregation in singing of the hymn "Forward Through the Ages".

Joseph O. Stroud of the Baptist State Convention spoke on the Cooperative Program. This was very informative and also challenging. Quote "Truth does not change but methods do and we must make Christ relevant in these times to meet the needs of Modern Man".

Kennith Adams led the congregation in singing of the hymn "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing".

Scripture was read by W. Horace Crouse, Acts 4:1-37, and he led in prayer.

Message in music by "The Singing Lads" of First Baptist Church, Maiden, directed by Kennith Adams.

Annual Sermon was brought by Fred A. Carpenter using the theme "Together We Advance".

A. P. Millen led in the benediction and blessing for the evening meal.

Evening session was called to order by Earl Henry, Moderator at 7:00 P.M.

The Worship period opened with Dr. Jerry R. Hill leading the congregation in singing the hymn "Praise Him! Praise Him!" Rev. Charles Q. Carter spoke on the theme "Our Hope in Christ" with scripture taken from the book of Hebrews and closed in prayer.

Message in music by the Gardner-Webb Choral Ensemble, directed by Dr. Jerry R. Hill, sang "Majesty" Billings; "Jesus said To The Blind Man", Valpreus and "How Excellent Thy Name" Hannson.

Charles Cranford recognized Mrs. Harry Davis of Lincolnton a trustee of Meredith College and Richard Williams of Maiden a trustee of Mars-Hill College.

Charles Cranford moderated the Christian Higher Education Panel composed of Dr. N. A. Wiggins, Campbell College; Dr. J. Roy Robinson, Gardner-Webb; Robert Melvin, Mars Hill; John T. Kanipe, Jr., Meredith; Dr. Henry Stroupe, Wake Forest and Harry Sherwood, Wingate. A very informative period.

Kennith Adams led the congregation in singing the hymn "God of Grace and God of Glory".

Richard Williams introduced Dr. N. A. Wiggins, president of Campbell College, who brought the Christian Higher Education address.

Benediction by Harold L. Brown.

Attendance 183 messengers, 102 visitors a total of 285.

October 18, 1972

The session was called to order by Billy C. Beaver, Vice Moderator at 9:15 A.M.

Billy C. Beaver recognized visitors: Mrs. Marian Grant of Raleigh.

Glenn Murphy welcomed the association on behalf of the host church and gave instructions regarding the noon meal.

Worship period opened with Kennith Adams leading the congregation in singing the hymn "Breathe on Me". Charles Q. Carter spoke on the theme "Our Life in The Holy Spirit" with scripture from Galatians 5:22 and closed in prayer.

J. Marse Grant spoke on Christian Literature with special emphasis on the Bibical Recorder which is filled with dependable and accurate information.

Peyton Brown spoke concerning the Baptist Foundation.

W. R. Wagoner spoke concerning the Children's Homes with special thanks to the churches in our association which sent a special offering.

The Director of Missions' Address by James B. McQuere. He challenged the association to look ahead and set goals to work toward for the next three years. We need an awakening of the truth, we need to go out because these people in Lincoln and Catawba County are our responsibility and when we do this there will be rejoicing and will show "We are together".

Melvin Rabb reported that 172 registered today.

Kennith Adams led the congregation in singing the hymn "To The Work We are Servants of God".

James O. Maddox spoke concerning the Homes for the Aging. They have 187 senior citizens now in the homes.

Frank R. Campbell spoke concerning the Baptist Hospital.

T. A. Lineberger spoke concerning the South Mountain Baptist Camp.

The following were elected to serve for 1972-73: Moderator, Earl Henry; Vice-Moderator, Billy C. Beaver; Clerk and Treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Helms.

Loyd Spencer presented the following report of the Resolutions Committee, which was adopted.

Your Committee on Resolutions recommends that the association express its appreciation and gratitude to the following:

1. To the Rev. Winfred Turner and the members of Amity Church, to the Rev. Glenn Murphy and the members of Pearl Church for their hospitality to all associational messengers.
2. To the Program Committee for a well-conducted and helpful program.
3. To Moderator Earl Henry and other associational leadership for their fair and considerate handling of the annual meeting.
4. To all special guests and all who rendered special music for their contributions to the program.

Harding Caldwell made the following motion which was adopted.

In the past it has been our policy to include in our Associational Annual a portrait and a biographical sketch of pastors who have spent much of their life and ministry in our association. If it is in agreement with this body I should like to make the following motion:

> That we include in the 1972 Annual a portrait and a biographical sketch of two of our former pastors, namely: The Reverend H. B. Jones and the Reverend Morris Baker. If this action increased the cost of the annual above $1.20 per copy I should like to suggest that the balance be taken from the Miscellaneous item in our budget.

Kennith Adams led the congregation in singing of the hymn "Beneath The Cross of Jesus".

Harding Caldwell led in a Memorial Service to those of our association who have passed away during the year. The names will appear elsewhere in the annual.

Mr. McQuere introduced the guest speaker, Dr. Howard J. Ford of the Baptist State Convention.

Message in music by Judy Dudley accompanied at the piano by Judy Friday sang "I'll Tell The World".

Dr. Howard J. Ford spoke on the theme "Together We Advance". Dr. Ford challenged each church to set a goal of 10% increase in convention and association support; 10% increase in Sunday School; 10% increase to the Cooperative Program and 10% increase in baptisms. Lets move forward together.

Billy C. Beaver recognized Charles Ingle who is Parliamentarian.

A. V. Lockee gave the benediction and blessings on the noon meal.

Attendance first day of 285. Second day 178.

WRITTEN REPORTS FOR THE 1972 SESSIONS OF THE SOUTH FORK BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY
Glenn Murphy

We hear people ask, "What is the American Bible Society?" It is an organization which provides Scripture for the world and whose only purpose is "to promote the distribution of the Holy Scriptures without doctrinal note or comment and without profit". The American Bible Society also translates Scripture into various languages and distributes them to people in various countries of the world. For instance the first complete New Testament is being published in the language of the Zapoteco-Isthmus Indians. This language is spoken by about 75,000 Indians who live in the State of Oaxaca, Mexico.

The American Bible Society also provides Scripture for our own country; for the Armed forces; persons in special need, such as: victims of floods and hurricanes, prison units, migrant workers, for the blind, and so on. For instance when the flood came in Logan County, West Virginia, The American Bible Society sent a shipment of 10,000 volumes to Elm Park United Methodist Church in Scranton, Pa., which served as distribution center for that area. Another shipment of 5,000 copies of "Good News for Modern Man" was sent to Harrisburg, Pa., to augment the 1,200 copies of Scripture already sent there. Also for other flood victims such as those in Rapid City, S.D. received more than 1,500 copies of Scripture.

The American Bible Society has a Bible-a-month club, which was begun in 1962. For just $2.00 a month you can help bring The Word to spiritually hungry people the world over.

The American Bible Society publishes special passages of Scripture for many different occasions such as: Easter, Thanksgiving and Christmas.

The society's work is made possible by voluntary gifts from churches, different denominations, of which the Southern Baptist contributes a large amount of gifts in supporting this work, also many individuals contribute to this great cause for Christ.

If your church would like to send a gift to the American Bible Society you may send it to The Baptist State office marked, "for the Bible Society", or send it to "American Bible Society, 1865 Broadway, New York, New York 10023".

ANNUITY BOARD
Parks C. Harris

Darold H. Morgan took office as president of the Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention on March 1, 1972. R. Alton Reed, whom he succeeded, had been chief executive officer of the Board for 19 years.

The change in executive leadership occurred with the Board having record funds held in trust of more than $292 million, as of December 31, 1971. These funds are held in trust for 36,000 retirement plan participants now active in churches and denominational agencies.

Moreover, the Board paid out 25 per cent more in benefits to 7,500 annuitants last year than their contracts required. Called "13th Checks," these extra benefits were paid twice in the year --8-1/3 per cent in February and another 16-2/3 per cent in December.

The same good yield on investments that permitted extra benefits to annuitants also gave Good Experience Credits (credits for good experience in investing) to active members of the various plans, adding value to their retirement fund being built up.

The extra benefits paid through "13th Checks" totaled $1,339,732.

The Board, in its 54 years of existance, had paid out benefits that total $92.1 million, including over $10 million during 1971.

During the administration of R. Alton Reed, the Annuity Board eliminated its "unfunded liability" -- which meant that potential claims for benefits exceeded assets. The Board is now in a position not only to fully meet every outstanding contract with members, but to grant Good Experience Credit as well.

The Annuity Board offers a protection plan for disability, death, and retirement to cover every pastor, church staff member, and denominational agency employe. Many churches help by paying in full the dues for their pastor and staff.

Retirement contributions may be made on the full salaries of pastors and other personnel by taking advantage of Plans B and C as well as Plan A. Information on the Annuity Board may be secured by writing its development office, 511 North Akard Building, Dallas, Texas 75201, or by contacting the Annuity Board representative of your Baptist state convention.

In South Fork Association the Association and 29 of the 49 churches and 35 staff members are enrolled in the Protection Program.

ASSOCIATIONAL BOARD
Earl Henry

The Associational Board held four meetings during the year, it took the following actions.

1. Voted to change the policy regarding associational annuals.
   a. The Association shall provide one official copy for each church.
   b. Each church shall pay a cost of $1.20 per annual for any additional copies requested.
   c. All requests must be accompanied by check and submitted at the time of the annual church letter.
2. Approved the proposed 1972-73 budget.

BAPTIST FOUNDATION
Joe D. Drum

The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc., was organized in 1920. It has a fifteen-member Board of Directors elected by the Baptist State Convention. The policies and procedures of the foundation and the support of same is in the hands of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

The Baptist Foundation was organized for the purpose of assisting an individual with his will so his witness can live forever, as those won by him in turn win others throughout the ages. Some things are eternal. Stewardship is eternal. A man earns and lives and dies and he is a steward. He is a steward in the way that he earns and a steward in the way that he dies. For good or bad, stewardship is eternal.

CHILDREN'S HOMES

For the past eighty-seven years, North Carolina Baptists and their Children's Homes have cooperated in a program of Christian child care. This relationship has been characterized, on the part of the agency, by a sensitivity to real needs and a commitment to the best in child care. On the part of North Carolina Baptists, there has been a lasting commitment to child care expressed in generous and enthusiastic support of the agency's ministry.

This annual report finds the agency vigorously pursuing its basic purposes. Changing patterns of family life and the involvement of government in social ministries profoundly affect the number of children needing our care and the types of care needed. More and more we are being asked to serve children with special needs beyond neglect and dependency: emotional alienation from family; trouble with the court; borderline retardation; emotional disturbance which requires professional treatment. The urgency of the present and the challenge of the future is to find effective patterns of care for these children.

Baptist Children's Homes will not be content to provide minimal care only. We are committed to quality care which serves the whole person, providing the experiences and relationships which can enable the child to develop his full potential. Quality care costs. It makes heavy demands on the individual staff member in his involvement with the child. It requires more staff members for the number of children served. It necessitates the purchase of supplementary professional services, such as medical and psychological specialists. But the cost is really an investment in the future of the children served, and we believe it is the best investment of life and money we can make.

The Children's Homes continues to expand and improve its services to children and their families. Two new cottages are under construction at Broyhill Home. The Ten Star Builders' Program is enlisting the support of Eastern North Carolina for Christian child care in that section of the state. Mills Home is engaged in a year-long study to determine how we can best serve the children in the Piedmont Area. Across the state, renewed effort is being given to the enlistment of foster families. Expanded services to families are being initiated.

We believe this ministry of child care deserves the confidence and support of North Carolina Baptists. Our Baptist friends have demonstrated through their interest and support that they believe in what we are doing. The Cooperative Program continues to be the lifeblood of our financial support. The 1971 Thanksgiving Offering channeled $400,000 into our ministry of child care. Special gifts and bequests from individuals continue to provide for capital improvements. We deeply appreciate this generous support, and we pledge ourselves to continue this ministry of child care in the name of Christ and on behalf of North Carolina Baptists

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
Charles N. Cranford

Together we seek to provide opportunities for students to seek Truth in an atmosphere of freedom, guided by persons who are committed to God as He is revealed in Jesus Christ. This ideal always exceeds our grasp. However, it is the ever-present goal toward which we strive. The prayers and active support of North Carolina Baptists are necessary ingredients in helping the actual and the ideal to move more closely together.

The Baptist colleges in North Carolina continue to be grateful for the vital financial support which comes through the Cooperative Program. Outside of student charges, the Cooperative Program is the largest financial source of annual income for our colleges. During the past year these amounts were:

Campbell College	$ 311,688
Chowan College	192,400
Gardner-Webb College	213,564
Mars Hill College	270,322
Meredith College	270,322
Wake Forest University	467,532
Wingate College	198,172
	$1,924,000

One way our churches can help to relieve the financial burden of our schools is through participation in the Baptist College Scholarship Offering Day. Every year many of our churches provide student aid funds for needy North Carolina Baptist students by means of this special offering on Father's Day. Other churches prefer to include this as a regularly budgeted item. We urge more of our churches to enter into this investment in your youth.

The inclusive enrollment of the seven North Carolina Baptist colleges during the past academic year was 16,609.

CHRISTIAN LITERATURE
Paul U. McAlpin

The BIBICAL RECORDER is nearing the 100,000 mark in circulation -- thanks to churches and individuals all over the state who have helped to bring this about. Once this goal is reached, new ones will be set as part of a continuing effort to put the RECORDER in every Baptist home in North Carolina.

Not only is circulation progress, but in other ways this has been a good year for the RECORDER. During the year, Woodrow W. Hill, well-known pastor and writer, came with the RECORDER as field representative. He will be speaking in associations, churches, pastors' conferences and in other meetings all over the state. Thus he will join the editor and associate editor in seeking to carry the RECORDER message to every corner of North Carolina.

This was also the year that the RECORDER went to computer. Because of the growing circulation, this had to be done.

As it has in the past, the RECORDER seeks to keep North Carolina Baptists informed on important issues. This is a heavy responsibility and the editor and his staff feel keenly the need of your prayers as they seek to be good stewards to North Carolina Baptists. If your church does not have the RECORDER in the budget, or if it does not have a club at all, please take the leadership in seeing that this situation is corrected in the coming year. The RECORDER will be 140 years old next January 18. Those responsible for its publication each week recommit themselves to this important ministry of the printed word.

CHURCH TRAINING
Winfred Turner

The South Fork Baptist Association "M" Night was held at Amity Baptist Church on November 15, 1971. Rev. James B. McQuere, Director of Missions, was the speaker. Amity Church presented a skit entitled "The Three Nails".

Antioch received the award for the best average attendance of over eighty per cent.

On March 18, 1971 Youth Night was held at Reepsville Baptist Church with a large number attending and enjoying a panel discussion by the youth.

The Church Training Program is for you. If your church needs help in establishing a new program or strengthening your present one, please call the Associational Church Training Director.

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES
David Jordan

Executive
Three-year - Winfred Turner — Elliott Loftin
Chairman - Cecil L. Ballard

Finance
Three-year - Alvin L. Hoyle — John Clark
Chairman - Charles N. Cranford

Missions
Three-year - Donald Ferrell — Mike Groce
Chairman - Robert A. Cantwell

Nominating
Three-year - Floyd T. Kirksey — Bill Hoffman
Chairman - Coy H. Dellinger

Program
Three-year - D. Harding Caldwell — Miss Ellen Bridges
Chairman - Charles Ingle

Evangelism
Three-year - Daniel Featherstone
Chairman - Ralph F. Webb, Jr.

Ordination
Two-year - Richard V. Martin, Jr.
Three-year - J. C. Beal — Guy P. Helms
Chairman - Parks C. Harris

Resolutions
Three-year - Paul U. McAlpin
Chairman - Loyd Spencer

Stewardship
Three-year - Joe D. Drum
Chairman - James F. Collette

Christian Life
Three-year - Harold L. Brown
Chairman - Fred A. Carpenter

EVANGELISM
Ralph Webb, Jr.

It is exciting what the Holy Spirit is doing through the ministry of evangelism in our state. 6,000 youth and adults in 425 churches have now participated in Lay Evangelism schools or Pastors Retreats. We thank God for this tremendous response to the important emphasis on lay witnessing. This will be a continuing effort in future years.

The Division of Evangelism for North Carolina Baptists provided outstanding opportunities this year. The 26th Statewide Evangelism Conference was held in Fayetteville last February. The Division of Evangelism in cooperation with the Department of Communications and the Division of Church Programs sponsored a Statewide Communications, Evangelism and Administration Conference in Greensboro in May. A new week at the N. C. Baptist Assembly at Southport during June 12-16 was Youth Ministries Week with inspiration and training in Evangelism, Vocational Guidance and Recreation. And the 2nd Statewide Youth Evangelism Night was held on August 18 at the Greensboro Coliseum.

Several of our churches have held Lay Evangelism Schools with enthusiastic reports. We would encourage every church to have a school at the earliest possible date.

Many of our people have been asking when we are going to have another Evangelistic Crusade. Let us continue to give prayerful thought to this matter.

Could I challenge every member of every church to get involved in personal soul-winning in the new church year? Let our motto be: "A Soul for Thee in '73".

We rejoice in the excellent reports of revival meetings during the past year. It is our hope and prayer that we shall continue to have a strong increase in baptisms this coming year in order that many more persons may experience Christ by genuine faith commitment.

Remember to pray earnestly for the leadership of the Holy Spirit in the total ministry of evangelism in North Carolina, our nation and our world.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
Cecil L. Ballard

The executive committee of the South Fork Association met each month and proceeded with the business when there was a quorum. At each meeting we received a complete financial report of the Association and report of Director of Missions activities.

Brother Darrell Saunders was elected to serve as secretary of the executive committee.

Applications for Ministerial Scholarships at Gardner-Webb College were approved for the following students: Roger Sailors of Hulls Grove; Ricky Josey of Mt. Ruhama; Stanley Skipper of Westport; and Ronald Arndt of Piney Grove.

Motion made and seconded to request the churches of our Association to observe Verlin Ray Day on January 16, 1972 or some convenient day. Motion carried.

R. Ray Withers was elected to replace Darrell Saunders as secretary of the executive Committee.

The status of Poole's Chapel Baptist Church was referred to the Associational Board as follows:

> "After careful and prayerful consideration it is our judgement that in the matter of - Poole's Chapel we recommend: that the pastors of our churches and their members seek to establish a renewed relationship through love, concern and fellowship, endeavoring to redeem this church in its cooperation with the South Fork Baptist Association." Motion carried.

Charles Ingle was appointed to replace Darrell Saunders as Parliamentarian.

Motion made and seconded that James McQuere continue the rotating system for the Associational Board Meetings for the coming year. Motion carried.

A recommendation from the executive committee to the Associational Board concerning Associational Annuals. Effective August 15, 1972.

A. The Association will provide one copy to each church at no charge.
B. Each church will pay $1.20 each for additional copies requested.
C. All additional copies requested must be accompanied with a check and submitted with the church letter. The Associational Board adopted the recommendation.

Horace Crouse was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Darrell Saunders on the Executive Committee.

Motion by Elliott Loftin, seconded by Earl Henry, that the following proposal from Standard Sheet Metal Company, Lincolnton, N. C. be approved for installation in the home of our Director of Missions, Maiden, N. C.

Proposal: The installation of a 125,000 BTU Lo-Boy York Oil fired furnace to replace present furnace and a 3½ ton York air-conditioning unit, remove existing furnace, add return air duct for upstairs area, all necessary duct changes and insulate all supply ducts, at a cost of $1,625.00. This does not include the power wiring which is estimated to cost approximately $75.00. Motion approved.

Motion by Harding Caldwell, seconded by Julius Sherrill, that Earl Henry and Cecil Ballard be appointed to audit the associational books for the year 1971-72. Motion approved.

The association's books were audited and found to be correct and well kept.

FINANCE COMMITTEE PROPOSED BUDGET 1972-73
Elliott Loftin

Item		Proposal
Director of Missions Salary	$	7,100.00
Car allowance		1,650.00
Denominational meetings		550.00
Retirement plan		710.00
Hospital insurance		387.00
Life insurance		314.00
Home utilities		550.00
Home telephone		100.00
Home upkeep and repair		1,500.00
Office supplies, postage		1,000.00
Office rent		420.00
Office utilities		175.00
Office telephone		250.00
Office Secretary		2,000.00
Christmas bonuses		175.00
Insurance		150.00
Clerk		200.00
Treasurer		200.00
Annual meeting		150.00
Social Security		515.00
Sunday School		100.00
Church Training		100.00
W.M.U.		375.00
Brotherhood		100.00
Music		50.00
Audio-Visual aids		100.00
Evangelism committee		100.00
Missions committee		150.00
Miscellaneous		150.00
	$	19,321.00

FOREIGN MISSIONS
Beeler J. Morris

The sending out and maintaining of missionaries is primary in Southern Baptist overseas missions through the channel of the Foreign Mission Board. At the close of 1971 the Board had an overseas missionary staff of 2,526. This included 169 missionary associates, 5 special project medical personnel, and 125 missionary journeymen. Appointments during the year totaled 226 (120 Career, 28 associates, 67 journeymen, 2 special project medical workers, and 9 career reappointments).

Southern Baptist Missions (organizations of missionaries) and national Baptist groups in dozens of countries continue to call for reinforcements in missionary personnel. Some requests are still not filled, even though they have been repeated for several years and are still urgent.

On January 1, 1972, Southern Baptist missionaries were under appointment to 75 geographical or political entities. During 1971, missionaries took up residence in Upper Volta, Laos, and Surinam. Personnel assigned to Mozambique and Barbados were awaiting official government permission for residence and work in those countries.

HISTORY
Mrs. Harmon James

AMITY	Library started. Drives and parking area paved.
BOGER CITY	Air conditioned educational building; purchased activity bus and adjoining properties. Celebrated 50th Anniversary. Called Lois Walters as Music Director and Carolyn Baker as full time Church Secretary.
CALVARY	Purchased two buses and instituted a bus ministry.
CORAL PARK	Started Training Union
FELLOWSHIP	Erected new Educational Building.
FRIENDLY CHAPEL	Paid off church debt.
MACEDONIA	Honored Mr. Ed Painter with a plaque for fifty five years' service as a deacon.
MASSAPOAG	Built Pastorium
MATHIS CHAPEL	Paid off church debt and held note-burning
MT. RUHAMA	Called Donald W. Ferrell as pastor, December 1, 1971
MOUNTAIN VIEW	Built Fellowship Building and paved parking area.
WESTPORT	Began construction of new sanctuary.

HOME MISSIONS
James F. Collette

Many of the nation's longstanding problems dominated the news of 1971 in home missions. Such problems as crime and violence, hostility and alienation, alcoholism and drug abuse, racial tensions and family problems, plus war and economic stress burdened concerned Christians. Many were encouraged, however, by what seems to be a spiritual awakening among youth and by a freshly exposed hunger for God. A favorable climate strengthens our Christian witness.

Those who serve Christ in this nation are placed in the midst of one of the great evangelism and mission fields of the world. With approximately 80 million not identified with any religious group and a high percentage of church members nominally related to the work of Christ, we face needs of the first magnitude, and humanly speaking, what happens in America in a large part determines what happens in the spread of the gospel around the world.

We have 2,229 missionaries serving in all fifty states, Puerto Rico, and Panama.

Income for the Home Mission Board, primarily through the Cooperative Program and the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering, continues to exceed $15 million, but the increase each year amounts to less than three percent while operating costs have increased by six percent annually. For example: 105 applied for appointment to the US-2 ministry this year. Sixty-nine of these were approved but the mission departments came up with funds to use only 28.

HOMES FOR THE AGING

In our Baptist Homes for the Aging, we feel that there is no relationship more important and more blessed than the one that we have with our Baptist people in a special joy to visit personally the Associations and to have fellowship with the good people who mean so much to us in our ministry and to express to them our special thanksgiving. It is with a deep sense of gratitude to the Lord and to you that we bring this report on our Baptist Homes for 1972.

This has been the best year that we have ever had in our twenty-one years. The Special Offering for the Homes and support through the Cooperative Program reflect an encouraging increase. Through these two vital sources, the Homes during the past year derived almost 30% of the total operating budget in the care of the residents and patients, with 20% coming from the offering, and 10% through the Cooperative Program. The most significant fact about this support from our Baptist people is that the majority of the residents in the Homes are persons with real financial needs, and these love gifts are used for their care. In fact, these gifts are a lifeline to the residents, and they could not be maintained without them. The greatest challenge to our Baptist people is to continue to increase the Special Offering from year to year, and thus keep pace with the needs of the residents who depend so greatly on it.

Our Baptist Homes now operate five resident Homes, with two located in Winston-Salem, and one each in Albemarle, Hamilton, and Yanceyville. These Homes have a capacity for 162 residents. In addition, there is a Nursing Care Unit, located in Winston-Salem with a capacity for 63 patients. In these Homes we specialize in tender loving care and do not know of any place this side of Heaven, and outside of one's home, where a person can receive more compassionate Christian care.

Of great significance during the past year, in May, was the dedication of the York Wing of the Nursing Care Unit. This wing, accomodating 18 additional patients was completed in November of 1971 and named in honor of Judge and Mrs. William York, of Greensboro. He and Mrs. York gave 80,000.00 for the construction of this new Wing, and the additional money needed was raised by the Trustees of the Homes. With this new addition, the Baptist Homes have been able to receive some few persons, on a limited basis only, directly as patients. The majority of the beds in the Nursing Care Unit are used for the residents of the five Homes, when nursing care becomes necessary. We are glad that the base of our operation has been broadened to include a ministry to the aging sick person, and we can only hope that we will move forward and be able to receive more patients in the years ahead.

Ministry to an older person is a direct ministry to Christ and is one of the finest things that North Carolina Baptists are doing. Be glad that you are a Baptist, and be grateful for the part that you are having in making the life of an aging person more abundant and more secure.

HOSPITAL
Coy H. Dellinger

The distinctiveness of Baptist Hospital's ministry lies not alone in its care for charity patients, but also in the type of service it renders to all its patients, and to many other people throughout our state and nation and around the world.

As an academic Medical Center it is engaged in research and in education, as well as direct patient care. The ministry through research is far-reaching since new discoveries in medicine offer new hope to people everywhere. The educational ministry also extends around the world, since graduates of the Bowman Gray School of Medicine serve in 88 counties of North Carolina, in 47 states and the District of Columbia, and in 25 different countries. Alumni of the School of Pastoral Care serve in almost every state and in 39 other countries.

The quality of direct patient care provided at Baptist Hospital is distinct in at least two respects. First, it is a specialized type of medical care, provided for referral patients who have rare or complicated medical problems. Because of the highly-skilled specialists in almost every area of medicine, and the elaborate equipment available for diagnosis and treatment, we are able to provide the kind of care which is available only in a large medical center. Ours is one of only 108 such medical centers in the United States.

In addition to offering this kind of medical expertise, a second distinctive of our patient care is the Christian concern for the total person with all his needs. This spirit is found among physicians, nurses, aides, and other personnel throughout the Center. The Department of Pastoral Care seeks to minister specifically to the spiritual and emotional needs of patients and their families.

Baptist Hospital does continue to serve patients who cannot pay for their hospital care. Even with the tightening of admission policies and procedures, only one person in twelve months--i.e., one in approximately 17,000 applications for admissions--was not helped. In 1971, charitable allowances amounting to $1,370,000 were issued to patients unable to pay in full. The Mother's Day Offering of $371,000 helped make this charity work possible.

The hospital takes pride in its record of charitable work, but would like to help our Baptist people to understand that there are other aspects of its work also which justify its existance as an institution of our Convention and make it worthy of the support of our churches.

The operating deficit has been eliminated and the hospital is now operating "in the black".

The new patient tower is being completed and some departments have already moved into the lower levels. Complete occupation should take place by January, 1973. One additional unit, a two story unit housing the emergency room and outpatient clinic, is scheduled to be completed by 1973. This will conclude the present development program.

"A Medical Center ministering with skill and understanding" is not just a letterhead slogan; it is a goal which Baptist Hospital strives to attain.

MISSIONS COMMITTEE
D. Harding Caldwell

The Missions committee commends the Coral Park Baptist Church for their progress during the past year. As was stated last year the committee is available to offer guidance and help in the promotion of January Bible Study, Week of Prayer emphasis, Vacation Bible School, Revivals, etc. as they may request it through the Associational Missions Committee. In view of this and our prayerful concern for their future growth and ministry we recommend that the Coral Park Baptist Church remain under the watchcare of the Association.

Total amount in Investment Savings with Carolina First National Bank, Lincolnton, is $755.36. This money is being retained for future work within the boundaries of our Association.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE
Alvin L. Hoyle

Parliamentarian ..... Charles Ingle
Historian ..... Mrs. Harmon James
Director of Library Services ..... Mrs. Reggie Deaton
Trustee ..... J. M. Sherrill, Chairman
Trustee ..... Bill Beard
Sunday School Director ..... Charles Ingle
Church Training Director ..... Winfred Turner
Brotherhood Director ..... Donald W. Ferrell
Music Director ..... Kennith D. Adams

Special Assignments

American Bible Society	Richard V. Martin, Jr.
Annuity Board	Alvin L. Hoyle
Baptist Foundation	J. C. Beal
Children's Homes	William Justice
Christian Action League	Floyd Kirksey
Christian Education	Robert A. Cantwell
Christian Literature	Grady Bumgarner
Homes for the Aging	Fred A. Carpenter
Hospital	Carl E. Helms
South Mountain Camp	Earl Henry
Stewardship	Horace Crouse
Foreign Missions	Melvin D. Rabb
Home Missions	D. Harding Caldwell
State Missions	Harold L. Brown

South Mountain Camp Representatives

Robert Anthony
Bob Hawley
Earl Henry
Roy Houk
David Rhodes

Scholarship Commission

Three-year - Ray Von Caldwell
Chairman - J. B. Jones
Ryan Shelton

QUOTAS AND CONTRIBUTIONS

Churches	Quota 1971-72	Contributions	Quota 1972-73
Amity	498.68	297.00	593.53
Antioch	657.04	200.00	1,020.36
Bethel	260.40	260.04	301.74
Boger City	810.04	1,146.69	972.13
Calvary	608.77	578.68	805.19
Cedar Grove	267.10	267.10	217.95
Center View	367.50	367.50	374.69
Coral Park	23.36	20.00	45.50
Craig Memorial	284.08	284.04	292.09
Crouse	149.77	150.00	160.93
David Memorial	279.42	50.00	286.21
Faith	246.73	246.24	352.85
Fellowship	180.76	305.35	211.56
Friendly Chapel	276.17	100.00	315.12
Gainesville	457.96	511.21	481.88
Howard's Creek	21.00	25.00	52.41
Hudson Chapel	176.05	85.00	178.71
Hull's Grove	498.65	498.65	474.99
Lawing's Chapel	360.82	270.00	469.79
Leonard's Fork	185.10	185.10	223.95
Lincoln Avenue	766.29	766.29	983.06
Lincolnton, First	1,769.06	1,233.32	2,278.05
Lincolnton, North	70.82	-0-	70.82
Lincolnton, West	148.75	-0-	198.15
Long Shoals	211.16	211.16	266.93
Macedonia	411.99	428.00	463.35
Maiden, East	780.48	590.00	782.02
Maiden First	1,405.95	1,489.00	1,532.93
Massapoag	197.05	200.00	200.39
Mathis Chapel	155.54	100.00	210.19
Mount Anderson	356.42	356.42	397.81
Mount Ruhama	1,112.51	1,112.51	1,195.95
Mount Zion	353.76	450.00	444.73
Mountain View	565.11	565.11	666.70
North Brook	270.73	270.73	324.24
Oak Grove	218.75	218.12	306.25
Olivet	385.26	391.00	405.41
Pearl	546.39	440.00	529.03
Piney Grove	369.81	230.00	339.05
Poole's Chapel	187.08	-0-	187.08
Reepsville	589.58	500.00	747.46
River View	549.69	549.69	723.12
Roseland	97.56	97.56	113.80
Salem	682.78	700.00	750.10
Sharon	251.55	100.00	257.58
Southside	1,039.47	933.24	850.40
Temple	49.32	49.32	112.25
Westport	131.09	76.72	177.99
Westside	370.14	-0-	370.14
TOTALS	$20,653.49	$17,905.79	$23,716.56

* Based on 1 3/4% of receipts shown in Table G 1971 Annual

SCHOLARSHIP COMMISSION
John McLeod

Balance on hand as of October 1, 1971	$1,855.18
Received from churches	150.00
Interest	113.27
Total Cash on hand - September 30, 1972	$2,118.45

SOUTH MOUNTAIN BAPTIST CAMP
T. A. Lineberger

Your camp is being used more and more each year! Late in the fall of 1971 and early in the spring of 1972 church groups came for retreats.

The increasing popularity of your camp prompted us to begin early to prepare for more campers. Repairing cabins, building bunk beds, drilling another well, etc., enabled us to take care of the overflow crowds that came.

Including the staff, our average attendance was 217 each week. 4,000 attended some kind of organized activity and hundreds came to visit our services. Including retreats and special groups there were 212 attending from your association.

Our theme for the summer was "Listening to God". We had a staff of 25-30 dedicated young people who were very helpful in our camp program. Bible study, worship, mission study, and study for advancement helped campers to have a deep experience with God. 1,385 made a decision for Christ: 323 professions of faith, 46 commitments for full time Christian service, and 1,016 rededications. Word has been received from a number of churches that their entire church was blessed when campers shared with them their camp experiences. Our mission emphasis made the campers aware that every Christian has a responsibility to share Christ with the whole world.

Our staff, under the direction of Mrs. Rhea L. Ross, developed into a touring choir. We led worship services in 19 churches in which over 250 made decisions for Christ. We were unable to accept all the requests by the churches.

We deposited $36,000.00 into the general camp treasury. This was several thousand dollars more than it took to operate the camp. However, we urgently need the support from churches to enable us to make improvements, build a caretakers home, build a chapel, and finish paying for our bus. Many churches who learn of the way the Lord is using your camp are putting us in their budget.

STATE MISSIONS
Cecil L. Ballard

State Missions, like Home and Foreign Missions, is reaching people for Christ. State Missions may not seem as dramatic as Home or Foreign Missions, but it works hand in hand with these. Missions in other parts of the world are vitally related to State Missions. An encampment provided by State Missions where young people are challenged and called to serve as Home or Foreign Missionaries is an example of this relationship.

State Missions help in struggling areas of North Carolina by direct financial assistance. For example, in 1971 over $30,000 was provided for direct church lot aid. Also $80,000 went to provide pastoral aid in developing areas. The response from North Carolina Baptists for the building of the classroom building at Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute was great last year, but the building is far from being paid for. This year some $30,000 of the State Missions Offering is designated for this with another $32,000 going toward payment of the Canipe Administration Building.

State Missions means such ministries as work among the deaf, chaplaincy, resort missions, evangelism development, interracial ministries, metropolitan missions, etc. These areas of work along with love for Christ and people constrain us to strive to meet and go beyond the goal of $300,000 this year.

Our Executive Secretary says, "The Baptist Association is indeed vital to our entire State Mission program. The Association provides a means for two-way communication in a way which is impossible in a state or national convention. State Missions needs the local association in order to personalize its programs and get feedback on its projects. Continue to support your local association. And remember, you support your association when you support State Missions through the Cooperative Program and the State Mission Offering".

STEWARDSHIP
Billy C. Hoffman

From all indications, this will be a banner year of monies received in the churches of the South Fork Baptist Association. Most of the churches are reporting an increase in total giving. This is encouraging since some of the churches have experienced a decline in Sunday School attendance and church membership.

Last year the churches of the South Fork Baptist Association gave $106,146.00 to the Cooperative Program, with a total gift of $196,127.00 to missions. For the Cooperative Program this is an increase of $8,000.00, and for total mission gifts this is an increase of $16,000.00

The Cooperative Program is the main channel of supporting World Missions, Christian Education, Social Services, and ever increasing State Missions program. The goal for these causes this year is $8,000,000.00.

With nearly 6,000 missionaries to support and the social ministeries and the institutions needing more money each year it behooves us as Christians to give into the treasury of God's Churches.

SUNDAY SCHOOL
Melvin D. Rabb

The decade of the 70's holds great promise for growth. Each church can choose from the seven series of materials offered and tailor their program to the needs of their people.

The Sunday School Department of the Association helped the individual churches interpret and apply the materials offered.

Our VBS clinic was held at the Boger City Baptist Church on April 10th., with conferences for each church department offered to the churches. Well qualified instructors led each conference.

Realife is the tital emphasis for our Sunday School work in 1972-73. To achieve this we have a two-pronged approach: "Renewal" and "Outreach". Again the Sunday School offered help to the local church. On May 1 at the First Baptist Church of Lincolnton, a Realife Conference was held and well qualified instructors led each individual conference.

The Sunday School wants to help each individual church.

TREASURER'S REPORT
Mrs. J. E. Helms

Beginning balance - October 1, 1971			$ 655.20
Plus - Receipts			
Church contributions	$17,905.79		
N. C. Withholding Tax	164.40		
Verlin Ray Fund	1,267.24		
Home Missions Conference	607.83		
Pastor's Retreat	72.00		
Telephone Survey	141.40		
Lay Evangelism Schools	467.10		20,625.76
TOTAL CASH			$ 21,280.96
Less Disbursements			
Director of Missions Salary		6,600.00	
Car allowance		1,500.00	
Denominational meetings		400.00	
Retirement plan		660.55	
Hospital insurance		383.55	
Life insurance		313.44	
Home utilities		428.37	
Home telephone		92.68	
Home upkeep and repair		1,134.40	
Office supplies, postage		897.06	
Office rent		420.00	
Office utilities		158.89	
Office telephone		208.00	
Office secretary		1,800.00	
Christmas bonuses		125.00	
Associational Annuals		875.50	
Insurance		134.00	
Clerk		200.00	
Treasurer		200.00	
Annual meeting		152.54	
Social Security		436.80	
Sunday School		130.54	
Church Training		11.63	
W.M.U.		363.92	
Brotherhood		10.00	
Audio-visual aids		6.75	
Evangelism Committee		91.44	
Miscellaneous		5.00	
N. C. Department of Revenue		164.40	
Verlin Ray		1,267.24	
Home Missions Conference		607.83	
Pastors' Retreat		72.00	
Telephone Survey		140.40	
Lay Evangelism Schools		462.11	20,454.04
Balance on hand - September 30, 1972			$ 826.92

TRUSTEES REPORT
J. M. Sherrill

The Association has $20,000.00 replacement value insurance on the home, $6,000.00 on contents and 5 and 10 thousand dollars liability.

Assets:	
Value of home	$18,000.00
Office equipment	1,134.00
Cash - Checking Account	826.92
Savings Account	755.36
Total Assets	$20,716.26
Liabilities:	
None	
Net Resources	$20,716.26

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION
Mrs. J. E. Helms

The leadership conference was held at First Lincolnton on September 20-21, 1971.

The Baptist Women's Banquet was held at West Lincoln High School Cafeteria on November 18. Miss Bernice Popham, state GA and Mission Friends Director was our guest speaker. Approximately 197 attended.

The Baptist Young Women enjoyed their banquet on March 3, 1972 at the Jones' Fish Camp with Miss Mabel Stewart as guest speaker. Approximately 33 attended.

The Acteen officers for 1971-72 were Miss Carmel Finger, president, Miss Debbie Reel, vice president, and Miss Renee Keever, secretary. The first meeting was a foreign mission study held at the Macedonia Church, second a big event for 170 girls and leaders, the Acteen Banquet held at First Maiden with Miss Beverly Sanges, a member of the Mission Action Team, as guest speaker. Third was a cookout with the RA's on Saturday, April 15th. This was a very enjoyable evening. The last meeting was a prayer retreat at Cross Country Campground. This proved to be a very enjoyable day for the girls, it was a time of inspiration, fellowship and spiritual growth. The new officers were elected. Miss Pam Hoover, president, Miss Leisa Harris, Vice President and Gerri Helton, Secretary.

The girls in Action enjoyed a foreign and home mission study. A very enjoyable day was the Day Camp which was held at Lake Norman in June. The last meeting was held at Amity with a movie being shown.

The Mission Friends Leaders enjoyed a workshop on their magazine START with an evening meal and fellowship together.

The Baptist Womens Banquet will be held at West Lincoln High School Cafeteria on November 2, 1972 at 7:00 p.m. The details are being mailed to each church.

Mt. Ruhama was a most gracious host for our Annual meeting and as special guests we had Mr. & Mrs. Bill Mitchiner. Our next annual meeting will be held at Salem Church on April 3, 1973.

The South Fork Association Woman's Missionary Union was recognized at the Annual meeting in Winston-Salem for being a Distinguished WMU. We are honored and would like to thank everyone who helped make this possible. Also three churches were recognized for some achievement.

We are looking forward to a greater year and trust that we can help you make it a more fruitful year in your church as you take A GIANT STEP to increase your organizations, begin new organizations and increase magazine subscriptions. The officers for 1972-73 are:

Mrs. J. E. Helms, Director
Mrs. Earl Armstrong, Assistant Director
Mrs. Earl Henry, Secretary and Treasurer
Mrs. Leonard Wright, Baptist Women Director
Mrs. J. E. Lockman, Assistant Baptist Women Director
Mrs. Ken Clark, Baptist Young Women Director
Mrs. Theron Price, Assistant Baptist Young Women Director
Mrs. Charles Schronce, Acteen Director
Mrs. Floyd Painter, Girls in Action Director
Mrs. Lester Carter, Mission Friends Director

IN MEMORIAM

ANTIOCH
Mr. Raymond Ray

BETHEL
Mrs. Mary C. Mull

BOGER CITY
Mrs. Joe Barkley
Mrs. Mary Etta Epley
Miss Linda Goodson
Mr. Robert Harrill
Mr. Horace Ross
Mrs. B. M. Smith

CALVARY
Mr. Randy Abernethy

CEDAR GROVE
Deacon Lewis Beard
Mrs. Junior Scronce

CENTER VIEW
Mr. Joe F. Crouse
Deacon Warren Drum
Mr. William Foil Hovis
Mrs. Jackie Moring Slaughter

CRAIG MEMORIAL
Mrs. Tommy Huskins

CROUSE
Mrs. Sue Conner

DAVID MEMORIAL
Mrs. Dorothy Brackette
Mrs. Mae Milan

FAITH
Rev. H. B. Jones

FELLOWSHIP
Mr. Doris Lowe

GAINSVILLE
Mr. R. J. Holloway
Miss Mary Hord
Mr. Marshall Houser
Mr. James C. Ingle, Sr.
Mr. Silas Bates Smith

HULL'S GROVE
Mr. Clyde Dellinger
Mrs. Hallie Jenks
Mr. O. E. King

LAWING'S CHAPEL
Mr. Clyde Epley
Mrs. Bryte Lawing Forner
Mr. J. C. Lazenby
Mr. C. D. Starr, Sr.

LEONARD'S FORK
Mrs. Dora Mitchem

LINCOLN AVENUE
Mrs. Berle Dellinger
Mrs. Ruby Parker
Mrs. Preston Spake

LINCOLNTON-FIRST
Mr. Pat J. Buckley, Jr.
Miss Lona Pearsey
Miss Annie Wilkie

LONG SHOALS
Mr. J. R. Brown
Mrs. Margaret Green

MACEDONIA
Mrs. F. W. Barker
Mr. Joe Callaway
Mrs. Jim Drum

MAIDEN-EAST
Mr. R. L. Moore
Mrs. A. P. Setzer

MAIDEN-FIRST
Mr. Lawrence Caldwell
Mrs. Jane Campbell Cline
Mrs. Maude Curlee
Mrs. Frank Fulbright

MASSAPOAG
Mrs. Clara Caldwell

MT. ANDERSON
Mrs. Lester Caldwell
Mr. Homer Huffman

MT. RUHAMA
Mrs. Oscar Campbell
Mrs. Gordon Cooke
Mr. Furman L. Davis
Deacon Robert M. Drum
Mr. Fred Lee Hewitt
Mr. Hubert Jones
Mrs. Johnnie M. Murray

IN MEMORIAM

MT. ZION
- Mr. Ralph Ballard

MOUNTAIN VIEW
- Mr. Wade H. Benfirld
- Mrs. Mollie H. Gilleland
- Mrs. Carleen Starr Langley

NORTH BROOK
- Mrs. Jim Blackwell
- Mr. Jim Ivester
- Mr. Andy McNeeley
- Mr. Nicky Sanders
- Mrs. Wilbur Turner

OAK GROVE
- Mr. Marvin Crouse

OLIVET
- Mr. Austin Brown
- Mr. Everette Elliott
- Mr. Troy Moose
- Mrs. Bertha Setzer

REEPSVILLE
- Mrs. Julie Canipe
- Mr. Roger Haynes
- Mrs. Annie Moody

SALEM
- Mrs. Robert Broome
- Mrs. Belle Case
- Mr. Joe Burke

SHARON
- Mrs. Clevie Dellinger

SOUTHSIDE
- Mrs. Wright Johnson
- Mrs. Maude Rash
- Mr. Charlie Shelton
- Deacon Avery Whitesides

HISTORICAL TABLES

Year	Place of Meeting	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher of Annual Sermon
1878	Kid's Chapel	W. A. Graham	J. H. Booth	D. W. Thomasson
1879	Hickory Grove	W. A. Graham	J. G. Hill	T. H. Pritchard
1880	Mount Ruhama	W. A. Graham	J. G. Hill	J. R. Jones
1881	Ezra Mull's Chapel	W. A. Graham	P. M. Mull	J. F. Morris
1882	Salem	W. A. Graham	P. M. Mull	J. K. Faulkner
1883	Mount Zion	J. K. Faulkner	L. A. Abernethy	J. K. Faulkner
1884	Mountain Grove	J. F. Morris	W. W. Bridges	J. F. Morris
1885	Sandy Plains	W. A. Graham	Azor Shell	J. K. Faulkner
1886	Kid's Chapel	W. A. Graham	Robert A. Keever	N. B. Cobb
1887	Macedonia	W. A. Graham	Robert A. Keever	J. F. Morris
1888	Warlick's Chapel	J. F. Morris	J. Thomas McLean	W. R. Gwaltney
1889	Olivet	W. A. Graham	J. Thomas McLean	W. A. Pool
1890	Mount Zion	W. A. Graham	S. A. Stroup	D. P. Bridges
1891	Hickory, First	W. A. Graham	J. Thomas McLean	J. A. Hoyle
1892	Olivet	W. A. Graham	A. W. Setzer	A. W. Setzer
1893	Bruington	C. M. Murchison	J. Thomas McLean	C. M. Murchison
1894	Maiden, First	C. M. Murchison	J. Thomas McLean	E. F. Jones
1895	Newton, First	C. S. Cashwell	L. A. Abernethy	E. F. Jones
1896	Gastonia, First	W. A. Graham	J. R. Lewis	C. S. Cashwell
1897	Kid's Chapel	W. A. Graham	L. A. Abernethy	D. M. Austin
1898	Penelope	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	C. H. Durham
1899	Mount Holly	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	W. R. Gwaltney
1900	Bethel	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	J. L. Vipperman
1901	Olivet	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	W. F. Watson
1902	McAdensville	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	J. W. Watson
1903	Maiden, First	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	W. F. Gwaltney
1904	Hickory, First	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	J. W. Watson
1905	Dallas	W. A. Graham	R. S. Lewis	P. H. Purnell
1906	Lincolnton, First	W. A. Graham	R. S. Lewis	W. H. Reddish
1907	Olivet	W. A. Graham	R. S. Lewis	Baylus Cade
1908	Gastonia, First	W. A. Graham	J. D. Moore	R. D. Carroll
1909	Corinth	W. A. Graham	R. L. Sigmon	J. D. Harte
1910	Mount Zion	Osborne Brown	R. L. Sigmon	A. W. Setzer
1911	Long Creek	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	R. D. Carroll
1912	Maiden, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	I. T. Newton
1913	Mount Holly	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. J. Beach
1914	Macedonia	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. C. Barrett
1915	West Hickory	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. S. Connel
1916	East Gastonia	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. D. Harte
1917	Newton, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	F. M. Huggins
1918	Belmont, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. L. Vipperman
1919	Lincolnton, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. R. Bradshaw
1920	Mountain Grove	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. W. Rimmer
1921	Lawing's Chapel	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. R. Bradshaw
1922	Riber View	J. A. Snow	J. F. Click	H. C. Whitener
1923	Catawba	J. A. Snow	J. F. Click	H. R. Freeman
1924	Penelope	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	C. M. Robinson
1925	Lincolnton, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	T. C. Singleton
1926	Macedonia	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	C. D. Barton
1927	Corinth	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. A. Ivey
1928	Mount Ruhama	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	R. G. Short
1929	Mount Zion	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	E. F. Hardin
1930	Warlick's	Osborne Brown	R. H. Harrill	C. F. Pittman
1931	Maiden, First	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	J. R. Cantrell
1932	Mountain Grove	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	M. I. Harris
1933	Olivet	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	R. K. Redwine
1934	Macedonia	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	W. W. Marr
1935	Providence	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	T. H. Roach
1936	River View	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	W. R. Bradshaw
1937	Catawba	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	E. F. Sullivan
1938	Boger City	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	C. H. Henderson

Year	Place of Meeting	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher of Annual Sermon
1939	North Newton	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	L. A. McClure
1940	Lincolnton, First	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	O. C. Ulmer
1941	Mount Ruhama	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	Y. C. Elliott
1942	Penelope	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	H. B. Jones
1943	Maiden, First	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	C. C. Holland
1944	Hickory, First	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	J. Louis Price
1945	Boger City	L. L. Hatfield	R. T. Boatwright	R. C. Shearin
1946	Highland, Newton First	L. L. Hatfield	R. T. Boatwright	R. K. Benfield
1947	Catawba, Macedonia	L. L. Hatfield	R. T. Boatwright	R. G. Mace
1948	Brown Memorial, Olivet	L. A. McClure	R. T. Boatwright	E. F. Sullivan
1949	Center View, Salem	L. A. McClure	Fritz D. Hemphill	L. R. Williams
1950	Lincoln Ave., Warlick's	L. A. McClure	Fritz D. Hemphill	Wyman E. Wood
1951	Mt. Ruhama, W. Hickory	R. K. Benfield	Fritz D. Hemphill	Ben R. Coley
1952	Gainesville, Lawing's Chapel	R. K. Benfield	Fritz D. Hemphill	Harold M. White
1953	Lincolnton, 1st, Mtn. Grove	R. K. Benfield	Fritz D. Hemphill	Victor L. Andrews
1954	Mountain View, Amity	E. F. Sullivan	Fritz D. Hemphill	Harvey Laughter
1955	Penelope, Southside	Fritz D. Hemphill	Miss Helen Cater	Fritz D. Hemphill
1956	River View, Salem	Latt Beshears	Alvin A. Walker	Woodrow D. Flynn
1957	Lincolnton, First, Reepsville	Latt Beshears	Alvin A. Walker	Linwood Peterson
1958	Boger City, Mt. Zion	Latt Beshears	Alvin A. Walker	A. R. Waters
1959	Long Shoals, E. Maiden	J. D. Hillman	Alvin A. Walker	Eddie Reynolds
1960	Lawing's Chapel, Maiden 1st	J. D. Hillman	Alvin A. Walker	Herbert Miller
1961	Lincoln Ave., Southside	Eddie Reynolds	Alvin A. Walker	Wayne Haynes
1962	Mt. Ruhama, Center View	C. H. Greene	Alvin A. Walker	Riley N. Huckaby
1963	East Maiden, Mt. Anderson	C. H. Greene	Alvin A. Walker	R. E. Hicks
1964	Olivet, Leonard's Fork	D. Harding Caldwell	Alvin A. Walker	Fred E. Thompson
1965	Mtn. View, Mt. Zion	D. Harding Caldwell	Alvin A. Walker	R. W. Morrow
1966	Gainesville, Reepsville	Richard E. Hicks	D. Harding Caldwell	Frank Taylor
1967	Lincolnton, First, Antioch	Richard E. Hicks	Robert M. Garrett	Cecil L. Ballard
1968	Salem, Hull's Grove	E. B. Elmore	Mrs. W. F. Henry	E. W. Friday
1969	Maiden, 1st, River View	E. B. Elmore	Mrs. W. F. Henry	Robert M. Garrett
1970	Mt. Ruhama, Boger City	Charles N. Cranford	Mrs. J. B. McQuere	D. Harding Caldwell
1971	Lawing's Chapel, Lincoln Ave.	Charles N. Cranford	Mrs. J. E. Helms	Earl Henry
1972	Amity, Pearl	Earl Henry	Mrs. J. E. Helms	Fred A. Carpenter

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION — YEAR ENDING September 30 (Month & Day) 1972

Association: South Fork
State: North Carolina
Associational Clerk: Mrs. J. E. Helms
Address: P. O. Box 461 — City: Maiden — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28650

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		County	1 Year organized as a church	2 Location (1—Open Country; 2—Village (under 500 pop.); 3—Town (500-2499); 4—Small City (2500 to 9,999); Medium City (10,000 to 49,999); 5—Downtown; 6—Neighborhood; 7—Suburban; Large City ($50,000 or more); 8—Downtown; 9—Neighborhood; 0—Suburban) Key	3 Services held twice on Sunday? Y	3 Services held twice on Sunday? N	4 Total Baptisms	5 Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	6 Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	7 Present resident members	8 Present nonresident members	9 Grand total present members	10 No. members received from non-Baptist Churches	11 No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	16 Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	17 Value of church property including pastor's home	18 Total church debt at end of the associational year
Amity	Winfred M. Turner, Rt. 1, Denver	28037	Lincoln	1905	1	Y		12	1	36	199	47	246	0	0	20,000	140,000	42,368
Antioch			Lincoln	1921	1	Y		3	8	129	187	108	295	0	1	40,000	95,000	0
Bethel	Alvin Hoyle, Rt. 5, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1895	1	Y		1	5	5	68	152	220	0	0	35,000	150,000	0
Boger City	Beeler J. Morris, P.O.Box 5032,Boger City	28092	Lincoln	1922	4	Y		23	33	96	513	63	576	3	25	35,000	335,000	43,458
Calvary	Harold L. Brown, Rt.1,Box 667-C,Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1952	2	Y		32	16	12	226	102	328	1	0	35,000	130,000	9,737
Cedar Grove	E. M. James, Rt. 2, Maiden	28650	Catawba	1902	1	Y		7	8	7	130	18	148	0	0	17,500	44,500	0
Center View	Parks C. Harris, Rt.2,Box 327A,Maiden	28650	Catawba	1915	1		N	1	1	15	239	27	266	0	1	30,000	130,000	0
Coral Park	Marshall H. Black, Rt. 1, Crouse	28033	Lincoln	1969	1	Y		5	2	3	39	0	39	0	0	0	30,000	3,586
Craig Memorial	James F. Collette,Rt.1,Box168,Stanley	28164	Gaston	1938	1	Y		7	8	9	98	92	190	0	0	30,000	125,000	10,336
Crouse	John C. Beal, Rt.2,Box 135, Maiden	28650	Lincoln	1947	2	Y		0	0	2	48	1	49	0	0	0	30,000	0
David Memorial	Loyd J. Spencer, Rt. 1, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1952	1	Y		10	5	5	103	38	141	0	0	0	100,000	36,000
Faith	Charles Ingle, Rt.1, Iron Station	28080	Lincoln	1905	1	Y		24	26	12	191	26	217	7	0	20,000	100,000	0
Fellowship	Joe D. Drum,Rt.1, Box 264, Denver	28037	Lincoln	1965	1	Y		13	33	3	125	1	126	4	1	0	75,000	60,000
Friendly Chapel	Edwin Sherrill, Rt. 1, Box 200A,Maiden	28650	Lincoln	1948	1	Y		9	3	5	136	25	161	3	0	12,000	92,000	0
Gainsville	L. Vernon Connell, Rt. 1, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1922	1	Y		5	3	10	230	0	230	1	0	15,000	102,000	0
Howard's Creek	Bobby Nantz, Rt. 1, Iron Station	28080	Lincoln	1950	1		N	2	8	1	53	5	58	0	0	0	12,000	1,974
Hudson Chapel	Paul McAlpin, Rt. 2,Box 14, Catawba	28609	Catawba	1942	1	Y		9	2	5	92	4	96	0	0	20,000	95,000	1,150
Hull's Grove	Cecil L. Ballard, Rt.2, Vale	28168	Lincoln	1897	1	Y		12	4	9	279	55	335	0	2	20,000	80,000	0
Lawing's Chapel			Catawba	1907	1		N	12	3	13	245	35	280	0	1	30,000	125,000	0
Leonard's Fork	William Justice, Rt. 1, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1873	1	Y		9	5	4	136	34	170	0	0	30,000	125,000	0
Lincoln Avenue	Earl Henry, P.O. Box 441, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1910	4	Y		7	6	26	356	30	386	1	10	48,000	267,500	24,743
Lincolnton, First	Robert A. Cantwell,P.O.Box 714,Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1859	4	Y		14	36	36	546	192	738	2	2	40,000	375,000	0
Lincolnton, North	A. L. Whitesides, P.O. Box 141,Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1951	2	Y		4	0	0	22	0	22	0	0	5,500	13,400	8,383
Lincolnton, West	Leon Davis, Rt. 1, Iron Station	28080	Lincoln	1954	1	Y		24	10	7	98	10	108	0	0	0	40,000	3,200
Long Shoals	Grady Bumgarner, Rt.4,Box300,Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1901	2	Y		0	13	9	207	8	215	0	0	30,000	125,000	5,740

Macedonia	Carl E. Helms,Sr., Rt.3, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1834	2		N	6	8	12	280	55	335	0	1	45,000	125,000	0
Maiden, East	Melvin D. Rabb, Box 386, Maiden 28650	Catawba	1927	3	Y		33	17	22	410	65	475	6	0	20,000	220,000	0
Maiden, First	Billy C. Beaver, Box 338, Maiden 28650	Catawba	1891	4	Y		7	18	15	671	127	798	0	0	30,000	500,000	47,710
Massapoag	Floyd T. Kirksey, Rt4,Box25A,Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1952	4	Y		9	4	1	123	6	129	0	0	25,000	85,000	24,713
Mathis Chapel	A. V. Lockee,501 S.Rhyne St.,Lincolnton 28092	Catawba	1951	1	Y		2	4	6	129	15	144	0	0	0	30,000	0
Mount Anderson	Fred A. Carpenter, Rt.1, Maiden 28650	Catawba	1953	1	Y		10	12	7	270	10	280	4	0	50,000	145,000	29,300
Mount Ruhama	Donald W. Ferrell, Rt. 2, Newton 28658	Catawba	1816	1	Y		26	16	22	534	67	601	1	2	36,000	325,000	0
Mount Zion		Lincoln	1869	1	Y		7	12	5	169	17	186	0	0	18,000	75,000	0
Mountain View	D. Harding Caldwell,Rt.1,Box216A,Maiden 28650	Catawba	1854	1	Y		14	5	13	268	40	308	2	0	35,000	150,000	0
North Brook	Coy H. Dellinger, Rt.1, Cherryville 28021	Lincoln	1913	1	Y		4	5	14	175	101	276	1	0	25,000	100,000	0
Oak Grove	W. Horace Crouse, Rt2,Box246C,Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1971	1	Y		15	13	9	157	44	200	0	0	25,000	55,000	10,430
Olivet	Bill Hoffman,P.O.Box 5 C,Long Island 28648	Catawba	1833	1		N	6	2	5	251	39	290	2	0	18,000	160,000	4,000
Pearl	Glenn Murphy, Rt. 1, Iron Station 28080	Lincoln	1944	2	Y		21	19	23	308	49	357	0	0	30,000	75,000	27,446
Piney Grove	Richard V. Martin, Rt. 2, Newton 28658	Catawba	1904	1		N	2	3	12	169	34	203	0	1	35,000	200,000	7,357
Poole's Chapel																	
Reepsville	Ralph F. Webb, Jr.,Rt. 1, Vale 28168	Lincoln	1888	1	Y		5	9	11	307	19	326	0	1	30,000	250,000	2,064
River View		Lincoln	1897	1	Y		1	11	12	273	32	305	0	3	22,000	195,000	39,646
Roseland	J. W. Crouse, Rt. 2, Maiden 28650	Lincoln	1945	2	Y		7	7	2	42	58	100	1	0	0	25,000	4,673
Salem	Charles N. Cranford,P. O. Box 676, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1849	1	Y		12	21	15	356	98	454	0	0	0	172,000	83,524
Sharon	J.D.McAllister,Rt.1,Box100, Iron Station 28080	Lincoln	1884	1		N	0	9	8	98	31	129	0	2	14,000	100,000	10,298
Southside		Lincoln	1925	1	Y		2	4	12	246	135	381	0	2	15,000	253,010	28,450
Temple	Jack Chandler,Rt.1,Box138, Catawba 28609	Lincoln	1941	2	Y		1	13	8	69	0	69	0	0	0	20,600	3,525
Westport	Guy P. Helms, Box 63, Rt.1, Maiden 28650	Lincoln	1966	1	Y		29	23	19	112	33	145	0	0	0	23,000	51,858
Westside																	
TOTAL							464	474	712	9983	2148	12131	39	55	986000	6,220010	1649,919

TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL — YEAR ENDING September 30, (Month & Day) 1972

Association: South Fork
State: North Carolina
Associational Sunday School Director: Charles Ingle
Address: Route 1 — City: Iron Station — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28080

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	46 Preschool enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	46 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	47 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	48 Young Adult enrolment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 Years)	49 Adult enrolment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	50 Senior Adult enrolment (60 and over, or retirement and over)	51 Adults Away enrolment	52 Homebound Units enrolment	53 General officers enrolment	54 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	55 Total ongoing Sunday School enrolment	56 Average weekly Sunday School attendance	57 Number of Bible Study Fellowship classes	57 Bible Study Fellowship enrolment	58 Bible conference projects enrolment	59 Weekday Bible study enrolment	60 Church V. B. S. enrolment	60 Mission V. B. S. enrolment	60 Total V. B. S. enrolment
Amity	Thomas Reel, Rt.1, Iron Station 28080	29	54	28	17	31	41	0	0	2	0	202	158	0	0	0	0	117	0	117
Antioch	Ralph Laney, Rt.5, Lincolnton 28092	13	33	20	22	27	24	0	0	4	0	143	110	0	0	0	0	95	0	95
Bethel	Tommy McSwain, Rt.1, Box213-A, Denver 28037	13	12	21	9	32	9	4	0	5	0	105	60	0	0	0	0	52	0	52
Boger City	J. M. Sherrill,203 Buffalo Shoals Rd.,Lincolnton 28092	55	98	54	12	167	83	0	0	7	0	476	236	0	0	0	0	189	230	419
Calvary	Howard Schronce, Box 421, Lincolnton 28092	45	83	55	22	34	29	7	8	5	0	288	160	0	0	0	0	190	0	190
Cedar Grove	Charles Withers, Rt.2, Box 52, Maiden 28650	7	11	14	22	19	7	5	0	5	0	90	60	0	0	0	0	88	0	88
Center View	J. B. Jones, Jr., Rt.1,Box 130 A,Maiden 28650	5	22	16	32	53	28	0	0	3	0	159	120	0	0	0	0	82	0	82
Coral Park	David Spivey, Rt. 5, Lincolnton 28092	5	5	17	0	12	2	0	0	0	0	41	32	0	0	0	0	80	0	80
Craig Memorial	Gary R. McGinnis, Rt. 1, Stanley 28164	15	29	15	11	34	7	0	0	3	0	114	8	0	0	0	0	72	0	72
Crouse	John W. Gantt, 2527-D E.Main St.,Lincolnton 28092	13	21	6	11	20	0	0	0	3	0	74	45	0	0	0	0	38	0	38
David Memorial	David McSwain, Rt. 3, Lincolnton 28092	28	14	28	14	18	13	0	0	4	0	119	80	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Faith	Charlie Helton, Rt. 1, Box 470-D, Stanley 28164	34	36	32	39	60	5	0	0	4	0	210	117	0	0	0	0	110	0	110
Fellowship	Raymond W. Griffin, 105 Devine St., Stanley 28164	8	13	21	14	20	0	0	0	3	0	79	47	0	0	0	0	61	0	61
Friendly Chapel	Darris Turbyfill, Rt.1, Box 211, Maiden 28650	15	8	11	30	68	5	0	0	0	0	137	84	0	0	0	0	50	0	50
Gainsville	Oscar Kistler, Rt. 1, Lincolnton 28092	28	54	42	48	71	32	2	5	7	0	289	125	0	0	0	0	104	0	104
Howard's Creek	Marshall G. Gilbert, Rt.1 Box442, Lincolnton 28092	3	6	10	0	12	0	0	0	2	0	33	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel	Kenneth Bailey, Rt.2, Box 32A, Catawba 28609	6	5	18	15	35	6	1	0	2	0	88	67	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hull's Grove	E. Z. Willis, Rt.1, Cherryville 28021	17	31	74	25	118	0	0	0	3	0	268	132	0	0	0	0	105	0	105
Lawing's Chapel	Paul Hilton, Rt. 2, Maiden 28650	38	51	37	70	50	26	0	0	3	0	275	148	0	0	0	0	120	0	120
Leonard's Fork	Jerry Elmore, Rt. 2, Vale 28168	19	30	12	29	21	10	0	0	0	0	111	74	1	20	0	0	54	0	54
Lincoln Avenue	David Ross, Rt.2, Box 317, Lincolnton 28092	40	51	42	22	61	24	0	0	4	0	244	163	0	0	0	0	101	0	101
Lincolnton, First	Stanley Z. Pollock, 624 W. Park Dr.,Lincolnton 28092	60	80	81	6	201	54	21	10	5	0	518	267	3	0	0	0	149	130	279
Lincolnton, North	David A. Hart, Rt. 1, Lincolnton 28092	2	9	0	8	10	0	0	0	4	0	33	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, West	James Smith, Rt. 1, Lincolnton 28092	12	27	10	6	12	7	0	0	0	0	74	72	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Long Shoals	Ricky Carpenter, Rt. 4, Lincolnton 28092	29	25	32	15	26	24	0	0	3	0	154	105	1	20	0	0	90	0	90

Macedonia	E. B. Wilkinson, Jr., Rt.1, Box 216, Denver	28037	34	59	51	35	73	37	0	0	6	0	295	172	0	0	0	0	106	0	106
Maiden, East	Cecil Parker, 910 Boyd St., Maiden	28650	70	63	41	38	118	31	0	0	6	0	367	241	0	0	0	0	155	0	155
Maiden, First	Kermit Caldwell, 404 N. Main Ave., Maiden	28650	39	71	53	51	172	41	11	0	8	0	446		0	0	0	0	144	0	144
Massapoag	John Clark, 210 Little St., Lincolnton	28092	11	15	17	16	25	5	1	0	3	0	93	60	1	35	0	0	72	0	72
Mathis Chapel	Mitchel Joyner, Rt. 2, Catawba	28609	18	17	10	5	17	34	0	0	5	0	106	77	0	0	0	0	70	0	70
Mount Anderson	J. C. Jones, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	47	36	34	34	82	23	0	0	22	0	278	184	0	0	0	0	188	0	188
Mount Ruhama	Billy B. Beard, Rt. 2, Newton	28658	62	57	71	73	180	50	0	0	3	0	496	353	0	0	0	0	122	0	122
Mount Zion	Harry H. Murphy, 1702 Highway 275, Stanley	28164	41	22	19	41	47	17	0	0	2	0	189	109	0	0	0	0	57	0	57
Mountain View	Carroll E. Goodson, Rt.1, Denver	28037	44	45	40	42	86	36	0	21	2	0	316	214	0	0	0	0	120	0	120
North Brook	Robert Bess, Rt. 1, Cherryville	28021	4	23	34	15	12	30	0	0	3	0	121	88	0	0	0	0	58	0	58
Oak Grove	Lewis Huss, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	32	15	39	40	61	10	0	0	4	0	191	93	0	0	0	0	98	0	98
Olivet	Basil Thomas, Rt. 2, Catawba	28607	7	22	32	53	40	25	0	0	8	13	200	117	0	0	0	0	59	0	59
Pearl	Forrest Sain, Rt. 1, Iron Station	28080	40	40	41	35	51	27	0	0	2	0	236	163	0	0	0	0	115	0	115
Piney Grove	David R. Ballard, Rt. , Newton	28658	36	42	34	16	35	15	0	0	4	0	172	110	1	30	0	0	81	0	81
Poole's Chapel																					
Reepsville	Freddie Seagle, Rt.1, Box , Vale	28168	32	61	36	30	55	34	0	9	6	0	263	167	0	0	0	0	134	0	134
River View	Sam T. Lattimore,410 Buffalo Shoals Rd.,Lincolnton	28092	35	17	18	40	52	35	0	0	9	0	206	141	0	0	0	0	94	0	94
Roseland	Johnny Summey, 307 Huss St., Lincolnton	28092	8	9	15	13	27	0	0	0	2	0	74	41	0	0	0	0	56	0	56
Salem	Jim Plonk, Rt. 3, Box 310, Dallas	28034	58	48	53	43	64	41	0	18	5	0	330	191	0	0	0	0	222	0	222
Sharon	Robert Hovis, Rt. 5, Lincolnton	28092	11	35	22	4	34	14	0	0	3	0	113	76	0	0	0	0	73	0	73
Southside	Roney Sides, Rt.4, Box 138, Lincolnton	28092	33	51	31	35	70	28	0	0	6	0	254	145	1	4	0	0	102	0	102
Temple	Denver Bailey, 2111 E. Main St., Lincolnton	28092	2	11	6	7	9	13	0	0	1	0	49	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport	Edward Hearne, Rt.1, Box 354, Denver	28037	9	21	34	49	26	2	0	0	3	0	134	70	0	0	0	0	147	0	147
Westside																					
TOTAL			1142	1568	1417	1214	2548	984	52	71	194	13	9192	5375	8	109	0	0	4220	360	4580

TABLE C TRAINING UNION — **YEAR ENDING** September 30, 1972 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork
State: North Carolina
Associational Training Union Director: Winfred M. Turner
Address: Route 1 — City: Denver — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28037

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	61 Preschool enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	62 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	63 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	64 Young Adult enrolment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	65 Adult enrolment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	66 Senior Adult enrolment (60 and over or retirement and over)	67 General officers enrolment	68 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	69 Total Training Union ongoing enrollment	70 Average weekly Training Union attendance	71 New Member Orientation: Registration	71 New Member Orientation: Completed	72 Church Leader Training: Registration	72 Church Leader Training: Completed	73 Member Training Projects: Registration	73 Member Training Projects: Completed
Amity	Mrs.Phyllis Heafner, Rt.1, Iron Station 28080	13	32	15	34	5	0	2	0	101	90	0	0	0	0	0	0
Antioch	Charles Harkey, Rt. 1, Denver 28037	4	13	13	0	29	0	1	0	60	60	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bethel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boger City	James Whitesides, Rt.1, Box 360, Iron Station 28080	11	15	10	0	12	0	1	0	49	40	15	15	0	0	0	0
Calvary	Mrs. Marshall Sisk, 325 N.Academy St., Lincolnton 28092	30	25	42	23	11	0	3	0	134	69	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cedar Grove	Henry Schronce, Carolina Ave., Maiden 28650	2	9	1	8	12	1	2	0	35	26	0	0	0	0	0	0
Center View	Wade Lee Crouse, Rt.2, Box 448, Newton 28658	5	12	17	17	10	7	2	0	70	39	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coral Park	Mike Helm, Rt. 1, Newton 28658	4	0	14	0	8	0	0	0	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Craig Memorial		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Crouse		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
David Memorial		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Faith	Dale Ritchie, Rt. 1, Stanley 28164	14	25	22	10	33	17	3	0	124	57	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fellowship	Clifton Reid, Rt.1, Iron Station 28080	5	10	21	0	22	0	3	0	61	26	0	0	0	0	0	0
Friendly Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gainsville	Ralph Hawkins, Rt.1, Lincolnton 28092	6	17	11	13	27	5	3	0	82	37	0	0	0	0	0	0
Howard's Creek		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hull's Grove	Tommy Richardson, Rt. 2, Vale 28168	10	15	16	4	39	3	2	0	89	50	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lawing's Chapel	Darrell Drum, Rt.2, Maiden 28650	7	13	12	4	24	0	2	0	62	30	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leonard's Fork	James Elmore, Rt.2, Vale 28168	1	12	4	8	17	6	1	0	49	24	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincoln Avenue	Bill Woodruff, Rt. 1, Maiden 28650	8	15	19	10	15	0	4	0	71	53	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton,First	Leary Robinson, Rt.3, Box 398-X, Lincolnton 28092	7	28	55	0	43	3	3	0	139	71	0	0	0	0	22	22
Lincolnton, North		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, West		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Long Shoals	Mrs. Grace Huffman, Rt.4, Box 510, Lincolnton 28092	5	12	11	0	11	6	2	0	47	30	0	0	0	0	0	0

Macedonia	Tom Keener, Rt. 3, Lincolnton	28092	11	18	14	11	16	1	4	0	75	45	8	5	1	1	0	0
Maiden, East	Miss Mona Schronce, 1103 E.Main St., Maiden	28650	10	21	12	12	18	10	3	0	86	50	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maiden, First	Leonard Taylor, 322 E. Main St., Maiden	28650	11	20	33	8	23	4	7	0	106	67	0	0	0	0	0	0
Massapoag	Hubert Lambert,Sr., 1505 Laboratory Rd., Lincolnton	28092	6	13	11	8	12	8	2	0	60	35	0	0	0	0	35	35
Mathis Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Anderson	Phil Turbyfill, Rt.5, Box 67-C, Lincolnton	28092	17	25	21	10	29	14	9	0	125	73	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Ruhama	Roy Smith, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	24	21	46	21	40	27	2	0	181	132	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Zion	Calvin Rumfelt, Box 622, Alexis	28006	12	16	9	16	12	0	1	0	66	30	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mountain View	Miss Janice Robinson, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	24	16	24	15	30	12	4	0	125	84	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Brook	Mrs. Edgar Brackett, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	5	15	16	0	21	0	3	0	60	45	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oak Grove	Mrs. Doris Davis, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	7	3	21	3	35	0	1	0	70	37	15	15	0	0	1	1
Olivet			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pearl	Jack Beam, Rt.1, Box 59, Iron Station	28080	13	11	32	13	34	0	2	0	105	69	0	0	0	0	0	0
Piney Grove			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Poole's Chapel																		
Reepsville	Mrs. Robert Anthony, 1618 Broome St., Lincolnton	28092	14	29	21	22	50	17	4	0	157	94	0	0	0	0	0	0
River View	Paris Fisher, 404 Oak Grove Dr., Cherryville	28021	4	4	5	0	29	0	5	0	47	30	0	0	0	0	0	0
Roseland			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salem	James Peeler, Jr., Rt.3, Lincolnton	28092	11	5	29	0	22	0	4	0	71	45	18	15	0	0	0	0
Sharon	Boyce Long, Rt. 1, Iron Station	28080	0	12	0	0	12	0	0	0	24	12	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southside	Earl Armstrong, Rt.5, Box149, Lincolnton	28092	17	28	19	22	20	10	5	0	121	67	0	0	0	0	0	0
Temple			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport	Roy Stilwell, Killian Rd., Mount Holly	28120	0	8	21	10	31	2	2	0	74	40	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westside																		
TOTAL			318	518	617	302	752	153	92	0	2752	1657	56	50	1	1	58	58

TABLE D CHURCH MUSIC — YEAR ENDING September 30, 1972 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork

State: North Carolina

Associational Music Director: Kennith D. Adams

Address: Box 338 — City: Maiden — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28650

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		74 Preschool enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	75 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	76 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	77 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	78 General officers enrolment	79 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	80 Total church music enrolment	81 Average weekly church music attendance	82 Handbell ringers enrolment	83 Vocal ensemble enrolment	84 Instrumental ensembles enrolment	85 Church music study group enrolment
Amity	Mrs. Angela Ballard, Rt. 1, Iron Station	28080	0	7	18	25	3	0	53	40	0	0	0	0
Antioch	Milton Sigmon, Rt. 1, Iron Station	28080	0	6	12	20	3	0	41	35	0	2	2	0
Bethel	Billy Caudle, Box 253, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	18	0	0	18	10	0	0	0	0
Boger City	Mrs. William R. Walters, Rt.1, Denver	28037	15	35	10	30	1	0	91	80	0	0	0	0
Calvary	Douglas Ledford, Rt. 1, Crouse	28033	0	70	20	25	4	0	119	85	0	0	0	0
Cedar Grove			5	8	9	16	4	0	42	35	0	0	0	0
Center View	Preston Turbyfill, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	0	0	2	23	3	0	28	28	0	0	0	0
Coral Park	Mrs. Charles Spivey, 900 N. Flint St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	18	0	0	18	16	0	0	0	0
Craig Memorial	K. Roger Fisher, Rt.1, Stanley	28164	0	0	25	25	0	0	50	25	0	0	0	0
Crouse	James B. Blackburn, Rt.4, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
David Memorial	Mrs. Wyvonia McCarter, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	0	10	0	15	3	0	28	15	0	0	0	0
Faith	Ellis Brotherton, Rt.1, Stanley	28164	0	10	10	18	3	0	41	20	0	0	0	0
Fellowship	Marvin Mauney, Lafayette St., Stanley	28164	0	0	25	15	4	0	44	35	0	0	0	0
Friendly Chapel	Jesse Carpenter, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	0	10	22	0	0	32	30	0	0	0	0
Gainsville			0	0	0	24	1	0	25	24	0	0	0	0
Howard's Creek	Jack Kale, Rt.1, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel	William S. Leatherman, Rt.2, Box35, Catawba	28609	0	0	14	18	2	0	34	24	0	0	0	0
Hull's Grove	Mrs. Donald Sain, Rt.1, Vale	28168	6	12	14	20	3	0	55	0	0	0	0	0
Lawing's Chapel	Johnnie Shubert, Rt.2, Newton	28658	0	10	15	25	1	0	51	45	0	0	0	0
Leonard's Fork			0	13	1	12	0	0	26	20	0	0	0	0
Lincoln Avenue	Miss Delores White, 720 W. Third St., Lincolnton	28092	3	15	18	20	3	0	59	40	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, First	Mrs. Robert A. Cantwell, P.O. Box 714, Lincolnton	28092	9	74	40	34	12	0	169	150	12	14	0	0
Lincolnton, North			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, West	Mrs. Tina Issac, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	4	8	4	15	2	0	33	30	0	5	1	30
Long Shoals	Bill Christopher, Rt.4, Lincolnton	28092	0	5	6	20	4	0	35	25	0	0	0	0

Macedonia	Miss Ellen Bridges, 202 N. Main Ave., Maiden	28650	0	20	20	25	3	0	68	40	0	4	0	0
Maiden, East	Harold Caldwell, 820 E. Main St., Maiden	28650	0	50	10	30	2	0	92	70	0	0	0	0
Maiden, First	Kennith D. Adams, Rt.2, Maiden	28650	6	43	11	32	7	0	99	84	0	7	0	0
Massapoag	Mrs. Carrie Clark, 210 Little St., Lincolnton	28092	6	9	7	11	2	0	35	25	0	3	0	0
Mathis Chapel	Bobby Taylor, Rt.2, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Anderson	Doyce Turbyfill, Rt.2, Maiden	28650	0	10	10	45	2	0	67	60	0	1	0	0
Mount Ruhama	Ray Von Caldwell, Rt.2, Newton	28658	0	20	30	40	3	0	93	50	0	0	0	40
Mount Zion	Mrs. Mary Hager, Rt.1, Alexis	28006	0	0	0	20	2	0	22	14	0	0	0	0
Mountain View	Emmett Turbyfill, Rt.2, Maiden	28650	0	10	15	30	0	0	55	25	0	0	0	0
North Brook			8	12	8	15	2	0	45	35	0	0	0	0
Oak Grove	Mrs. Teresa Motz, Rt.2, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	12	17	2	0	31	24	0	0	0	0
Olivet	Mrs. Fred Lee Hilderbran, Rt.1, Sherrill's Ford	28673	0	0	14	20	3	0	37	19	0	0	6	0
Pearl	Carroll W. Cooke, Rt.1, Stanley	28164	0	12	12	25	2	0	51	35	0	0	0	0
Piney Grove	Charles Estep, Rt.2, Newton	28658	0	0	0	20	4	0	24	0	0	0	0	0
Poole's Chapel														
Reepsville	Roy A. Cooke, Rt2, Vale	28168	0	10	10	27	3	0	50	30	0	0	0	35
River View	Stirl Dysart, Rt.4, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	39	3	0	42	30	0	0	0	0
Roseland	G. P. Green, 2636 E. Main St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salem			0	0	15	24	3	0	42	29	0	0	0	0
Sharon	Ed Beal, Rt. 3, Lincolnton	28092	0	12	2	20	0	0	34	30	0	0	0	0
Southside			0	20	5	21	3	0	49	36	0	0	0	0
Temple	Mrs. Frances Keever, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport	W. H. Redmon, Box 370-58, Rt.1, Denver	28037	0	12	14	20	2	0	48	40	0	0	0	0
Westside														
TOTAL			62	523	448	939	104	0	2076	1487	12	36	9	95

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION — YEAR ENDING September 30 (Month & Day) 1972

Association: South Fork
State: North Carolina
Associational WMU Director: Mrs. J. E. Helms
Address: Box 461 City: Maiden State: North Carolina Zip: 28650

CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100
		Number of Organizations							Enrolment							
		Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Actsens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-39 years or H.S. graduation to 39 years)	Baptist Women (39 and over)	Mission(s) of church	Total number of organizations	Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Actsens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-39 years or H.S. graduation to 39 years)	Baptist Women (39 and over)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church	Total WMU enrollment
Amity	Mrs. Frances Reel, Rt.1, Iron Station 28080	1	2	2	0	1	0	6	10	21	13	0	40	4	0	88
Antioch	Mrs. Juanita Martin, Rt.3, Lincolnton 28092	1	0	1	1	1	0	4	6	0	10	7	18	7	0	48
Bethel	Mrs. Jack Noles, Rt.5, Lincolnton 28092	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	5	0	0	0	8	2	0	15
Boger City	Mrs. H. H. Bryant, 209 Story St., Lincolnton 28092	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	25	30	6	0	41	4	0	106
Calvary	Mrs. Roy Houk, Rt.5, Lincolnton 28092	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	18	25	20	0	20	2	0	85
Cedar Grove	Mrs. Ross Williams, Box 313, Maiden 28650	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	6	0	7	3	0	16
Center View	Mrs. Wilvie Turbyfill, Rt.1, Box149, Maiden 28650	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	16	3	0	19
Coral Park		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Craig Memorial	Mrs. Rosa Merck, Rt.1, Stanley 28164	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	5	9	0	0	0	0	14
Crouse	Mae Carpenter, Rt.1, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	5
David Memorial	Mrs. Wyvonia McCarter, Rt.5, Lincolnton 28092	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	6	7	5	8	6	8	0	40
Faith	Mrs. Mildred Ingle, Rt.1, Iron Station 28080	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	7	7	16	0	20	7	0	57
Fellowship	Mrs. Mary Cody, Rt.1, Iron Station 28080	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	5	6	0	12	3	0	26
Friendly Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gainsville	Mrs. Dale Houser, 203 Dale Ave., Lincolnton 280[illegible]	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	10	7	9	12	19	10	0	67
Howard's Creek		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hull's Grove	Mrs. Clara Noll Brendle, Rt.2, Vale 28168	1	2	1	0	1	0	5	8	6	8	0	20	5	0	47
Lawing's Chapel	Mrs. Rita Felts, Rt.2, Maiden 28650	0	3	2	1	1	0	7	0	19	18	9	12	8	0	66
Leonard's Fork	Mrs. Vance Heavner, Rt.1, Box 43, Crouse 28033	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	10	8	1	2	5	1	0	27
Lincoln Avenue	Mrs. Theron W. Price, Rt.5, Box 536, Lincolnton 28092	1	1	2	1	1	0	6	4	4	6	8	16	5	0	43
Lincolnton, First	Mrs. Leary Reid, 402 E. McBee St., Lincolnton 28092	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	23	22	16	11	112	6	0	190
Lincolnton, North		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, West		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Long Shoals	Mrs. Jane Poovey, Rt.4, Lincolnton 28092	0	1	0	1	1	0	3	0	14	0	5	6	8	0	33

Macedonia			1	1	1	0	1	0	4	8	12	8	0	12	5	0	45
Maiden, East	Mrs. L. R. Williams, 1004 E. Main St., Maiden	28650	0	2	1	0	1	0	4	0	21	10	0	26	4	0	61
Maiden, First	Mrs. Reba Williams, 912 E. Union St., Maiden	28650	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	14	18	26	0	75	5	0	138
Massapoag	Mrs. Margaret Clark, 212 Highland Dr., Lincolnton	28092	0	1	1	1	1	0	4	0	8	7	5	7	4	0	31
Mathis Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Anderson	Mrs. Woodrow Isenhower, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	8	16	13	10	37	2	0	86
Mount Ruhama	Mrs. Leonard Wright, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	2	2	2	1	1	0	8	20	11	22	16	50	2	0	121
Mount Zion	Mrs. Janice Finchum, Rt.1, Alexis	28006	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	6	5	0	0	20	1	0	32
Mountain View	Mrs. D. Harding Caldwell, Rt.1, Box 216A, Maiden	28650	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	12	12	9	4	32	0	0	69
North Brook	Mrs. Lee Bess, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	8	9	6	8	7	2	0	40
Oak Grove	Mrs. Mary Greene, Rt.2, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	1	1	1	0	3	0	0	8	8	8	1	0	25
Olivet	Mrs. Bill Hoffman, Box 5C, Long Island	28648	1	2	1	0	1	0	5	10	15	9	0	24	4	0	62
Pearl	Mrs. Helen Dellinger, Rt.1, Iron Station	28080	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	8	15	15	0	12	2	0	52
Piney Grove	Mrs. Harold Killian, Rt.1, Catawba	28609	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	8	5	12	0	22	10	0	57
Poole's Chapel																	
Reepsville	Mrs. Freddie Seagle, Rt.1, Box 263, Vale	28168	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	15	15	15	14	39	6	0	104
River View	Mrs. Kate Cooke, Rt.4, Lincolnton	28092	2	1	1	0	1	0	5	10	9	16	0	26	5	0	66
Roseland	Mrs. C. E. Gantt, 816 S. Cedar St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	7	3	0	11
Salem	Mrs. J. E. Lockman, Rt. 3, Box 307, Lincolnton	28092	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	7	20	16	13	35	7	0	98
Sharon	Mrs. J. D. McAllister, Rt.1, Box 100, Iron Station	28080	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	4	0	11	2	0	17
Southside	Mrs. Earl Armstrong, Rt.5, Box 631, Lincolnton	28092	1	2	0	0	1	0	4	7	10	0	0	30	5	0	52
Temple			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport	Mrs. Guy P. Helms, Box 63, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	13	8	0	14	3	0	38
Westside																	
TOTAL			28	39	36	17	38	0	158	273	394	353	141	877	159	0	2197

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD — YEAR ENDING September 30 1972 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork

State: North Carolina

Associational Brotherhood Director: Donald W. Ferrell

Address: Route 2 — City: Newton — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28658

CHURCHES	BRDTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		101 Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	102 Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	103 Baptist Young Men enrollment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	104 Baptist Men enrollment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	105 Baptist Senior Men (60 and over or retirement and over)	106 General officers enrollment	107 Enrollment of mission(s) of church	108 Total Brotherhood enrollment
Amity	Max Lanier, Rt. 1, Denver	28037	16	7	0	21	0	8	0	52
Antioch	Ned Reynolds, Rt. 3, Lincolnton	28092	0	10	0	12	0	4	0	26
Bethel			0	14	0	0	0	3	0	17
Boger City			20	12	0	0	0	3	0	35
Calvary	Fred Hawkins, Rt. 2, Lincolnton	28092	13	12	0	20	0	2	0	47
Cedar Grove			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Center View			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coral Park			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Craig Memorial			9	5	0	0	0	2	0	16
Crouse			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
David Memorial	H. Donald McSwain, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	4	6	0	2	0	12
Faith	Ben Helton, Rt. 1, Stanley	28164	6	8	1	11	0	4	0	30
Fellowship	Eulis Freeman, P. O. Box 843, Stanley	28164	2	8	3	8	0	3	0	24
Friendly Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gainsville	Harold Humphries, Rt.1, Lincolnton	28092	3	15	0	18	0	2	0	40
Howard's Creek			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hull's Grove	Ralph Cline, Rt. 2, Vale	28168	3	2	0	20	0	2	0	27
Lawing's Chapel			12	6	0	0	0	7	0	25
Leonard's Fork	Vance Heavner, Rt.1, Box 43, Crouse	28033	4	2	2	8	1	1	0	18
Lincoln Avenue	Larry Turner, 611 W. Childs St., Lincolnton	28092	10	12	0	15	4	3	0	44
Lincolnton, First	Charles S. Young, Jr., Rt. 5, Box 608, Lincolnton	28092	18	0	0	24	0	2	0	44
Lincolnton, North			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, West			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Long Shoals	Jim Poovey, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	12	0	5	0	0	3	0	20

Macedonia			12	6	0	0	0	1	0	19
Maiden, East	Ray Withers, Rt. 1, Newton	28658	25	15	9	10	4	3	0	66
Maiden, First	Hubert Morrow, Rt. 2, Maiden	28650	19	11	4	35	6	2	0	77
Massapoag			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mathis Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Anderson	Phil Turbyfill, Rt.5, Box 67-C, Lincolnton	28092	22	9	9	18	0	3	0	61
Mount Ruhama	Gerald Caldwell, Rt.2, Box 267, Claremont	28610	14	17	0	15	0	2	0	48
Mount Zion	William Stroupe, Rt. 1, Alexis	28006	8	0	0	7	0	1	0	16
Mountain View	Glenn E. Hicks, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	9	8	0	27	0	0	0	44
North Brook	Harry Arthur, Sr., Rt. 1, Cherryville	28021	7	7	0	15	0	4	0	33
Oak Grove	Robert Smith, Rt. 1, Lincolnton	28092	7	8	0	12	0	4	0	31
Olivet			7	0	0	0	0	1	0	8
Pearl	Steve Grigg, Rt. 1, Box 1074 CCC, Iron Station	28080	10	10	0	0	0	3	0	23
Piney Grove			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Poole's Chapel										
Reepsville	J. E. Helms, Rt. 1, Box 420, Lincolnton	28092	11	14	5	25	5	3	0	63
River View	L. D. Mauney, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	10	15	0	25	0	0	1	51
Roseland			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salem	Jim Plonk, Rt. 2, Box 310, Dallas	28034	15	27	7	18	4	2	0	73
Sharon			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southside	Kenneth Link, Rt. 4, Box 149, Lincolnton	28092	9	5	0	30	0	3	0	47
Temple			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport	Paul N. Stephens, Sifford Rd., Mt. Holly	28120	12	8	0	15	0	3	0	38
Westside										
TOTAL			327	273	49	415	24	86	1	1175

TABLE 6 TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP — YEAR ENDING September 30, 1972 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork
State: North Carolina
Associational Treasurer: Mrs. J. E. Helms
Address: Box 461 — City: Maiden — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28650

CHURCHES	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	12	13			14	15	100	110	111	112	113	114	115	116	117
		Number of tithers	Budget prom. or emphasis used during the year. None	Forward Program	Other	Cooperative Program goal as percent of total budget	Associational missions goal as percent of total budget	Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during the year	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
Amity	Mrs. Alice McMurry, Rt. 1, Denver 28037	61	x	x	x	10%	6/10%	40,029	0	40,029	0	9,370	0	11,908	11,034	32,312
Antioch	Mrs. Ruth Beal, Rt.5, Box 346, Lincolnton 28092	40	0	0	0	10%		40,980	0	40,980	0	8,450	0	2,812	9,270	20,532
Bethel	Mrs. William Rumfelt, Rt.5, Box 177B, Lincolnton 28092	20	0	0	0	10%	.05%	18,484	25	18,509	0	7,585	0	0	8,875	16,460
Boger City	J. E. Norwood, 2315 E. Main St., Lincolnton 28092	180	0	0	0	15%	1½%	75,738	0	75,738	46,000	20,415	0	25,000	15,000	60,415
Calvary	Mrs. Colleen Sisk, Rt.2, Lincolnton 28092	150	0	0	0	3½%	1½%	44,543	0	44,543	1,700	14,705	0	6,500	15,999	37,204
Cedar Grove	Arnold Mills, Rt. 2, Maiden 28650	30	0	0	0	0	0	15,111	0	15,111	2,000	5,751	7,691	0	1,277	14,791
Center View	Kenneth Gilleland, Rt.1, Box 128A, Maiden 28650	50	0	0	0	5¼%	1¼%	22,030	0	22,030	0	7,434	0	0	9,068	16,502
Coral Park	David Spivey, Rt.5, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	¼%		309	0	309	0	996	0	990	256	2,242
Craig Memorial	Mrs. Carole McGinnis, 423 E. Poplar, Stanley 28164	20	0	0	0	12%	2%	19,034	0	19,034	0	7,590	0	1,958	11,431	20,979
Crouse	Elliott Loftin, Rt.4, Lincolnton 28092	12	0	0	0	2%	1.5%	9,887	0	9,887	0	4,585	315	636	1,898	6,798
David Memorial	Mrs. Jeanette Armstrong, Rt.3, Lincolnton 28092	30	0	0	0	1.38%	.28%	20,079	0	20,079	0	4,985	2,331	3,814	6,209	17,339
Faith	Mrs. Betty S. Helton, Rt.1, Box 470-D, Stanley 28164	50	0	0	0	2%	2%	27,399	108	27,507	0	7,660	0	4,275	7,073	19,009
Fellowship	James Cody, Rt.1, Iron Station 28080	47	0	0	0	8%	2%	14,839	0	14,839	0	4,170	15,440	9,180	3,912	32,702
Friendly Chapel	James Ledford, Rt.1, Denver 28037	39	0	0	0	0	0	17,515	0	17,515	0	4,380	0	643	6,202	11,725
Gainsville	John Moore, 514 Motz Ave., Lincolnton 28092	54	0	0	0	2¼%	2½%	33,887	237	34,124	0	8,268	0	2,663	5,974	16,905
Howard's Creek	Marshall G. Gilbert, Rt.1, Box 432, Lincolnton 28092	10	0	0	0	0	0	4,935	0	4,935	0	1,030	130	330	1,135	2,625
Hudson Chapel	William S. Leatherman, Rt2, Box 35, Catawba 28609	45	0	0	0	0	0	10,606	0	10,606	0	6,170	0	1,307	2,287	9,764
Hull's Grove	Mrs. Kenneth Wehunt, Rt.1, Cherryville 28021	40	0	0	0	10%		29,267	0	29,267	0	12,532	0	0	10,789	23,321
Lawing's Chapel	Jim McAlister, Rt.2, Maiden 28650	60	0	0	0	4%	1%	33,551	400	33,951	0	9,294	0	0	14,998	24,292
Leonard's Fork	Mrs. Polly Hager, 108 Bost St., Lincolnton 28092	22	0	0	0	10%	1.6%	12,952	630	13,582	0	3,410	0	0	14,185	14,185
Lincoln Avenue	David Ross, Rt2, Box 317, Lincolnton 28092	165	0	0	0	18%	1½%	51,030	0	51,030	0	15,390	0	12,611	15,190	43,190
Lincolnton, First	Mrs. Charles Sanford, P.O.Box 714, Lincolnton 28092	140	0	0	x	17%	.012%	126,641	4,347	130,988	0	28,595	0	12,000	48,168	88,763
Lincolnton, North	Mrs. James McCalister, Huss St., Lincolnton 28092	7	0	0	0			2,189	0	2,189	8,383	0	0	0	0	1,775
Lincolnton, West	Fred Smith, 37 Railroad St., Lincolnton 28092	21	x	0	0			14,218	0	14,218	0	4,935	1,500	3,225	1,860	11,520
Long Shoals	Fred Gates, Rt. 4, Box299, Lincolnton 28092	25	x			10%		18,615	0	18,615	0	5,185	0	0	4,803	9,988

Macedonia	Mrs. Allen Ballard, Rt.3, Lincolnton	28092	56	o	o	o	9.6%	1¼%	37,490	653	38,143	o	13,085	o	o	6,973	20,058
Maiden, East	Charles Pope, Rt. 2, Maiden	28650	25	o	o	o			40,775	o	40,775	o	12,830	o	o	18,686	31,516
Maiden, First	Blair Abernathy, 109 E. Boyd St., Maiden	28650		o	o	o	20%		95,107	o	95,107	o	25,770	o	26,029	20,823	72,622
Massapoag	Mrs. Rachel Chapman, Rt.2, Box 7, Lincolnton	28092	25	x	o	o	10%	1¼%	13,508	o	13,508	16,079	5,300	3,299	354	2,274	11,227
Mathis Chapel	Mrs. Clifford Sherrill, Rt.1, Sherrils Ford	28673	15	o	o	o			14,682	o	14,682	o	5,205	2,313	o	3,649	11,167
Mount Anderson	Austin Josey, Rt.1,Box264-D, Maiden	28650	90	o	o	o	2%	2%	26,838	o	26,838	o	6,900	o	5,600	3,500	16,000
Mount Ruhama	Miss Beda Campbell, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	150	x	x	o		1¼%	80,215	o	80,215	o	15,208	o	o	24,377	39,585
Mount Zion	Cull G. Long, Rt.1, Alexis	28006	35	o	o	o	10%	2%	26,820	o	26,820	o	8,573	1,433	o	4,958	14,964
Mountain View	Donald L. Caldwell, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	50	x	o	o	9%	2.5%	44,869	o	44,869	o	7,485	34,776	o	8,746	51,007
North Brook	Mrs. Kemp Wehunt, Rt. 1, Cherryville	28021	50	o	o	o	10%	1¼%	18,313	164	18,977	o	7,600	o	o	6,156	13,756
Oak Grove	Robert Smith, Rt. 1, Lincolnton	28092	40	o	o	o	10%	1¼%	19,498	o	19,498	o	6,950	o	7,221	4,236	18,407
Olivet	Reid Martin, Rt. 2, Catawba	28609	50	o	o	o	15%	1½%	23,365	50	23,415	o	8,879	1,500	2,100	7,345	16,224
Pearl	Jess Burcham, Rt.5, Box 532, Lincolnton	28092	37	o	o	o	1½%	1½%	33,186	o	33,186	20,000	10,489	o	5,532	5,532	21,873
Piney Grove	Mrs. John Cansler, Rt.1, Claremont	28610	20	o	o	o	5%	1%	19,680	o	19,680	7,000	7,330	o	5,857	10,490	23,677
Poole's Chapel																	
Reepsville	J. E. Helms, Rt. 1, Box 420, Lincolnton	28092	93	o	o	o	11%	$500.	43,661	1,376	44,979	o	13,012	3,410	6,000	11,008	33,430
River View	Pervy Coffey, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	115	o	o	o	11%	1½%	35,320	o	35,320	o	7,865	o	12,820	10,815	31,500
Roseland	Mrs. Frank Colvard, 321 E. Carter St.,Lincolnton	28092	11	o	o	o		1¼%	6,607	6	6,613	o	3,119	o	1,793	1,124	6,032
Salem	D. B. Lewis, Rt. 3, Box 339,Lincolnton	28092	101	o	o	o	4.6%	1½%	45,488	o	45,488	o	12,400	o	12,363	16,300	41,063
Sharon	Mrs. Irene Armstrong, Rt.1, Iron Statio	28080	30	o	o	o	2%	1%	16,964	o	16,964	o	5,283	6,019	1,747	2,707	15,837
Southside	Mrs. Glenn Morrison, P.O. Box 101, Lincolnton	28092	80	o	o	o	14%	1.7%	49,008	o	49,008	30,000	12,960	68,010	9,595	22,464	113,029
Temple	Mrs. P. C. Crouse, 328 E. Carter St.Lincolnton	28092	14	o	o	o			6,883	o	6,883	o	2,925	o	1,763	1,695	6,383
Westport	H. P. Bearden, Box 117-B, Rt.1,Mt. Holly	28120	15	o	o	o	10%	o	18,438	140	18,578	53,000	4,665	15,000	4,115	8,214	32,841
Westside																	
TOTAL			2410						1,421,083	3,080	1,409,161	184,162	407,210	163,167	202,741	428,965	1,197,536

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES, 1971 YEAR ENDING Sept. 30, 1972 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork

State: North Carolina

Associational Superintendent of Missions (Associational Missionary): James B. McQuere

Address: Box 461 City: Maiden State: North Carolina Zip: 28650

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		118	119	120	121	122	123	124	125	126	127	128	129	130	131	132
			CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS				OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES										
			Money paid out on new construction during the year	All other church sponsored mission expenditures	Total church sponsored mission expenditures	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	Designated: State missions	Designated: SBC Home Missions (incl. Annie Armstrong Easter offering)	Designated: SBC Foreign Missions (incl. Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	Designated: Christian education (schools, etc.)	Designated: Children's homes (cash plus goods)	Designated: Hospitals	Designated: Homes for the aged	Designated: All other (Relief, Ridley, Temperance League, etc.)	Total other mission cause expenditures	Grand Total Mission expenditures
Amity	Mrs. Frances Reel, Rt. 1, Iron Station	28080	0	0	0	4,297	297	70	610	1,000	29	258	178	35	0	2,477	6,774
Antioch	Mrs. Jewell Lane, Rt.5, Box 178-B, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	3,802	200	150	0	253	0	41	45	0	837	1,526	5,328
Bethel	Mrs. Joe Mull, Rt. 5, Box 81, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	889	260	44	66	266	100	100	31	100	0	967	1,856
Boger City	Coleman L. Goodson, 1618 E. Main St., Lincolnton	28092	0	400	400	8,400	1,108	210	320	1,066	0	180	160	0	1,000	4,044	12,844
Calvary	Mrs. Howard Schronce, Box 421, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	1,038	576	198	125	825	0	330	181	205	375	2,815	3,853
Cedar Grove	Miss Glenda Withers, Rt. 2, Box 65, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	42	125	100	100	125	0	100	125	100	100	875	917
Center View	Mrs. Nancy Munday, Rt. 2, Box 439, Newton	28652	0	0	0	1,136	368	50	177	652	0	220	157	34	0	1,658	2,794
Coral Park	Lydia Sue Black, Rt. 1, Crouse	28033	0	0	0	21	20	0	0	0	0	10	10	0	0	40	61
Craig Memorial	Mrs. Terry McGinnis, Rt. 1, Stanley	28164	0	0	0	1,800	284	0	106	325	0	0	0	0	75	790	2,590
Crouse	Mrs. John W. Gantt, 2527-D East Main St.,Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	56	150	108	116	189	0	180	63	50	0	856	912
David Memorial	Mrs. Linda Spencer, Rt. 3, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	100	50	12	115	188	0	26	19	10	0	420	520
Faith	Mrs. Horace Bradshaw, Rt. 1, Iron Station	28080	0	0	0	399	246	13	23	332	0	303	33	0	0	950	1,349
Fellowship	Mrs. Jimmie Griffin, 105 Devine St., Stanley	28164	0	0	0	1,051	284	0	85	118	0	0	12	0	0	499	1,550
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. James Carpenter, Rt. 1, Box 165 D, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	0	0	55	0	0	0	155	155
Gainsville	Larry S. Gilbert, P. O. Box417, Crouse	28033	0	0	0	4,994	512	170	410	657	23	99	81	93	60	2,105	7,099
Howard's Creek	Mrs. Marshall G. Gilbert, Rt. 1, Box 432, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	25	0	0	0	0	0	20	25	0	70	70
Hudson Chapel	Mrs. Roby A. Stewart, Rt. 2, Box 37, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	0	85	15	12	0	0	25	25	15	145	322	322
Hull's Grove	M. J. Gilbert, Rt. 1, Lincolnton	28092	0	200	200	3,445	499	106	980	1,122	5	230	87	11	0	3,040	6,685
Lawing's Chapel	Mrs. Joan Henry, Rt. 2, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	1,256	270	47	282	682	105	785	202	175	660	3,208	4,464
Leonard's Fork	Mrs. Jerry Elmore, Rt. 2, Vale	28168	0	0	0	1,045	186	56	12	109	10	16	16	0	0	405	1,450
Lincoln Avenue	Mrs. Theron W. Price, Rt. 5, Box 536, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	8,712	766	372	634	1,810	50	184	100	83	0	3,999	12,711
Lincolnton, First	Mrs. Evelyn James, 619 North Laurel St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	19,778	1,149	1,017	1,809	4,745	213	3,243	347	67	1,283	13,873	33,651
Lincolnton, North	Mrs. James Hoyle, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, West	Mrs. Brenda Smith, 37 Railroad St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	60	38	1,675	0	64	50	42	375	2,304	2,304
Long Shoals	Mrs. Grace Huffman, Box 510, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	1,437	211	25	19	64	0	38	39	13	281	690	2,127

Macedonia	Darrell Beidleman, Rt. 3, Box 159, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	1,295	428	101	419	813	0	106	180	66	248	2,361	3,656
Maiden, East	Miss Margaret Parker, Rt. 2, Box 135, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	800	590	891	530	2,643	135	260	424	246	410	6,129	6,929
Maiden, First	Reggie Deaton, 415 N. Main Ave., Maiden	28650	0	0	0	15,767	1,405	82	587	1,461	0	0	97	10	76	3,718	19,485
Massapoag	Mrs. Margaret Clark, 212 Highland Drive, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	1,065	200	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	746	1,121	2,186
Mathis Chapel	Mrs. Kenneth Sigmon, Rt. 2, Box 222, Catawba	28609	0	700	700	0	100	0	0	200	0	100	125	0	0	525	1,225
Mount Anderson	Mrs. Woodrow Isenhower, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	267	356	67	115	230	90	168	161	25	1,300	2,512	2,779
Mount Ruhama	Miss Beda Campbell, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	8,441	1,113	456	899	2,142	0	687	742	176	3,191	9,406	17,847
Mount Zion	Mrs. Wanda M. Murphy, 1702 Hwy.275, Stanley	28164	0	0	0	2,215	450	482	533	1,273	47	537	80	44	168	3,614	5,829
Mountain View	Mrs. Everette A. Caldwell, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	1,883	565	219	433	821	229	418	857	209	598	4,349	6,232
North Brook	Mrs. Tom H. Wehunt, Rt. 1, Cherryville	28021	0	0	0	1,748	321	45	150	404	25	152	110	38	0	1,245	2,993
Oak Grove	Mrs. Lib Elmore, Rt. 2, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	1,983	218	20	35	138	20	20	21	20	0	492	2,475
Olivet	Miss Una Mae Brown, Rt. 3, Box 112, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	2,976	391	97	172	554	20	1,489	72	26	485	3,306	6,282
Pearl	Mrs. Nora Beam, Rt. 1, Box 50, Iron Station	28080	0	0	0	1,560	440	42	53	593	10	0	0	53	0	1,191	2,751
Piney Grove	Mrs. Vera Caldwell, Rt. 4, Box 584, Newton	28658	0	0	0	687	230	14	156	176	1	37	0	15	369	998	1,685
Poole's Chapel																	
Reepsville	Mrs. Lee Boyd, Rt. 1, Vale	28168	0	0	0	4,704	500	12	576	1,292	0	0	0	0	915	3,295	7,999
River View	Mrs. Kate Cooke, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	4,116	550	48	61	750	37	15	47	18	509	2,035	6,151
Roseland	Miss Terry Colvard, 321 E. Carter St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	98	0	28	0	0	25	0	0	0	151	151
Salem	Mrs. Bobby J. Hord, Rt. 3, Box 415, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	2,200	700	80	1,062	683	0	400	0	0	97	3,022	5,222
Sharon	Mrs. Kenneth Shull, Rt. 1, Box 168, Iron Station	28080	0	0	0	250	100	52	50	358	0	53	48	50	0	711	961
Southside	Mrs. Glenn Morrison, P. O. Box 101, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	6,636	800	191	409	1,173	200	145	382	129	475	3,904	10,540
Temple	Miss Tona King, 912 E. Gaston St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	49	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	59	59
Westport	H. P. Bearden, Box 117-B, Rt.1, Mt. Holly	28120	0	0	0	716	77	22	0	0	0	19	13	0	0	131	847
Westside																	
TOTAL			0	1,300	1,300	123,007	17,453	5,769	12,332	31,932	1,374	11,143	5,375	2,208	14,778	102,363	226,670

TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION — YEAR ENDING Sept. 30 (Month & Day) 1972

Association: South Fork
State: North Carolina
Moderator: Earl Henry
Address: P. O. Box 441 — City: Lincolnton — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28092

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	19 No. church-type missions started during the year	20 No. church-type missions currently operating	21 No. other-type missions started during the year	22 No. other-type missions currently operating	23 Committees existing during past year: Public relations	24 Stewardship	25 Radio and TV	26 Missions	27 Christian Higher Educ.	28 Does church have or observe? Radio and TV Sunday	29 Library	30 Recreation staff	31 Witness Training (using WIN materials)	32 Christian Home Week	33 Ministry to the Deaf	34 State paper in budget	35 Ch. Council/Cabinet	36 Bus Ministry	37 Baptist Conferences, Colleges, and Schools Day	38 Does church plan or conduct a simultaneous building program within the year? Y	38 N	39 Number of college students baptized during the year	40 Number retained for Gospel ministry during the year	41 Training Union meeting time AM	41 PM	42 Number of active deacons	43 Kindergarten enrolment	44 Day care enrolment
Amity	Dan Reel, Jr., Rt. 1, Denver 28037	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N		N		N	0	1		X	7	0	0
Antioch	Ralph Laney, Rt. 5, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N		N	0	0		X	7	0	0
Bethel	Billy Caudle, Box 253, Maiden 28650	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N		N		N	0	0			5	0	0
Boger City	Ervin Featherstone, 200 Ctba.Hts.,Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N		N		N	0	0		X	12	0	0
Calvary	Paul Stamey, Rt. 1, Box 706, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N		N		N	0	0		X	9	0	0
Cedar Grove	Grady Grindstaff, Rt. 1, Newton 28658	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y		N		N	0	0		X	7	0	0
Center View	Preston Turbyfill, Rt. 1, Maiden 28650	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y		N		N	0	1		X	7	0	0
Coral Park	David Spivey, Rt. 5, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N		N	0	0		X	3	0	0
Craig Memorial	Floyd Jonas, Woodhaven Park, Stanley 28164	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N		N		N	0	0			5	0	0
Crouse	John W. Gantt, 2527-D E.Main St.,Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N		N	0	0			4	0	0
David Memorial	H. Donald McSwain, Rt. 5, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N		N		N	0	0			8	0	0
Faith	Vernon Lineberger, Rt. 1, Iron Station 28080	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y			Y	1	0		X	9	0	0
Fellowship	Marvin Mauney, Lafayette St.,Stanley 28164	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y		N		1	0		X	4	0	0
Friendly Chapel	Darris Turbyfill, Rt.1,Box 211, Maiden 28650	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N		N	0	0			7	0	0
Gainsville	Dwight Carpenter, Rt. 1, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N		N	0	0		X		0	0
Howard's Creek	Marshall G. Gilbert,Rt.1, Box 47,Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N		N	0	0			0	0	0
Hudson Chapel	Wm.S. Leatherman, Rt.2, Box 35,Catawba 28609	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N		N	1	0			5	0	0
Hull's Grove	M. J. Gilbert, Rt. 1, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y		N		N	0	0		X		0	0
Lawing's Chapel	Ted McAlister, Rt.2, Maiden 28650	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y			Y	0	0		X	9	0	0
Leonard's Fork	Vance Heavner, Rt.1, Box 42, Crou 28033	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N		N			N	0	0		X	6	0	0
Lincoln Avenue	J.W.Schronce,310 Dale Ave.,Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y				N	0	0		X	9	0	0
Lincolnton,First	Maurice L.Canaday,P.O.Box 578,Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y				N	0	0		X	18	0	0
Lincolnton,North	David A. Hart, Rt.5, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N			N	0	0			1	0	0
Lincolnton,West	Fred Smith,27 Railroad St.,Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N		N	Y		0	0			5	0	0
Long Shoals	Fred Gates, Rt.4,Box 299,Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y				N	0	0		X	5	0	0

Macedonia	E.B.Wilkinson,Jr.,Rt.1,Box216,Denver	28037	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y			N	0	0		X	9	0	0
Maiden,East	Coy Auton,913 E.Boyd St.,Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y		N		N	0	0		X	12	0	0
Maiden,First	Truitt Beard,902 Boyd St.,Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y			N	0	0		X	12	26	52
Massapoag	John Clark,210 Little St.,Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y			N	1	0		X	2	0	0
Mathis Chapel	Floyd Sigmon, Rt.2, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N		N	0	0			6	0	0
Mount Anderson	Vernon Caldwell, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y			N	0	0		X	11	0	0
Mount Ruhama	Harry Abernethy, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N		N		N	0	0		X	16	0	0
Mount Zion	Dan Long, Rt. 1, Alexis	28006	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y		Y		0	0		X	6	0	0
Mountain View	L.P.Gilleland, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y			N	0	0		X	12	0	0
North Brook	Clyde Warlick, Rt.1,Cherryville	28021	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N		N	0	0		X	7	0	0
Oak Grove	Clinton Leatherman, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N		N	Y		1	0		X	3	0	0
Olivet	Basil Thomas, Rt.2, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N		N		N	0	0			6	0	0
Pearl	Ernest Ledford, Rt.3, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N		N		N	0	0		X	9	0	0
Piney Grove	Perry Lee Wilkinson, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y			N	0	0		X	5	0	0
Poole's Chapel																																
Reepsville	Lester Holbrooks, 404 Huss St.,Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N		N		N	0	0		X	7	0	0
River View	Sam T.Lattimore,410 Buffalo Shoals R., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N		N		N	0	0		X	9	0	0
Roseland	Preston Green, 230 E.Main St.,Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N		N	0	0			2	0	0
Salem	John P. McLeod, Rt.3,Box 303,Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N		N		N	0	0		X	9	0	0
Sharon	Boyce Long, Rt.1, Iron Station	28080	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N		N	0	1		X	9	0	0
Southside	Roney Sides, Rt.4,Box138,Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y		Y		0	0		X	9	0	0
Temple	Denver Bailey,2111 E. Main St.,Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N		N	0	0			4	0	0
Westport	Tommy A. Williams, Rt.1, Stanley	28164	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N	Y		0	0		X	6	0	0
Westside																																
TOTAL																									5	3			337	26	52

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October 23, 1973

and

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Lincolnton, North Carolina
October 24, 1973

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The next Annual Session will be held with the

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Iron Station, North Carolina
October 22, 1974

and

DAVID MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Lincolnton, North Carolina
October 23, 1974

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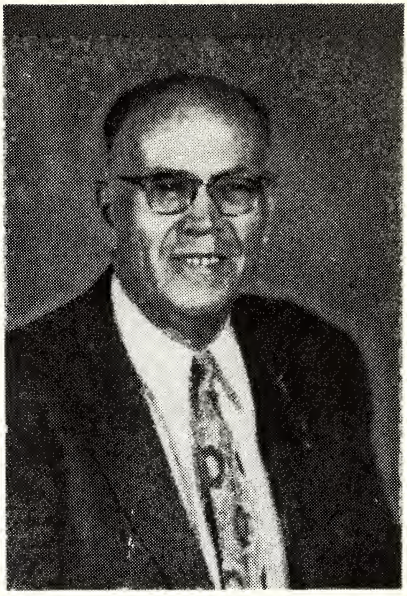
Belton Columbus Beal was born in Lincoln County on May 13, 1904 and departed this life on July 14, 1973. He was first married to Sudie Caldwell. To this union seven children were born. After the death of Sudie Caldwell Beal he was later married to Isabelle Sullivan. To this union four children were born.

In April, 1951, he and his oldest son, Lewis Beal, were ordained to the Gospel Ministry in the same service by the Lincoln Avenue Baptist Church. Another son, Belton Columbus Beal, Jr., was ordained in 1969 by the Southside Baptist Church.

The Reverend Mr. Beal served the Pearl Baptist Church (1951 - 1953; 1955 - 1962) and the Sharon Baptist Church (1953 - 1955). He was a faithful and active member of Sharon Baptist Church at the time of his death. He is survived by his wife, Isabelle Sullivan Beal, and the eleven children.



Albert Roy Waters was born in Rutherford County on June 20, 1893 and departed this life on July 16, 1973.

He was a graduate of Mars Hill College and Mercer University.

On December 29, 1926, he was married to Naomi Brown of Statesville, North Carolina.

From 1928 until 1943, he served churches in Georgia and served churches in North Carolina from 1943 until his retirement in 1960.

At the time of his death he was a faithful and active member of the Mountain View Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife and three children, Albert R. Waters, Jr., John Marvin Waters and Louise Waters Edwards. One son preceded him in death.

DIRECTORY OF THE ASSOCIATION

1973 - 1974

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One year	Joe Bondurant, Chairman	Mrs. Charles R. Estep
Two years	Ray Von Caldwell	Ryan Shelton
Three years	Miss Ellen Bridges	Mrs. Mark Hoyle

SPECIAL ASSIGNMENTS

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Christian Action League . . . . . Hartwell E. Condrey
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Hospital . . . . . Joe D. Drum
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Roy Houk
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David Rhodes

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COMMITTEES

Committee on Committees

One year	Coy H. Dellinger, Chairman	David Ross
Two years	Charles N. Cranford	Perry Lee Wilkinson
Three years	James F. Collette	Kenneth Wehunt

Executive Committee

One year	Cecil L. Ballard, Chairman	J. M. Sherrill
Two years	Winfred M. Turner	Elliott Loftin
Three years	Charles Ingle	Emmitt Turbyfill

Finance Committee

One year	Charles N. Cranford, Chairman	Fred Hawkins, Sr.
Two years	Alvin L. Hoyle	John Clark
Three years	Hartwell E. Condrey	Kirby D. Dellinger, Jr.

Missions Committee

One year	Robert A. Cantwell	Dwight Carpenter
Two years	Donald W. Ferrell, Chairman	Mike Groce
Three years	Carl E. Helms, Sr.	J. E. Helms

Nominating Committee

One year	Coy H. Dellinger, Chairman	E. Z. Willis
Two years	Floyd T. Kirksey	Bill Hoffman
Three Years	Ralph F. Webb, Jr.	Bobby S. Hord

Program Committee

One year	Melvin D. Rabb, Chairman	Kennith Adams
Two years	D. Harding Caldwell	Miss Ellen Bridges
Three years	Nathan L. May	Mrs. Cecil L. Ballard

Evangelism Committee

One year	B. J. Morris, Chairman
Two years	Daniel Featherstone
Three years	Foyd Bennett

Ordination Committee

One year	Glenn Murphy, Chairman	Albert C. Helms, Jr.
Two years	J. C. Beal	Guy P. Helms
Three years	George DeLozier	Charles Mosley

Resolutions Committee

One year	Loyd Spencer, Chairman
Two years	Paul U. McAlpin
Three years	Mrs. Joe D. Drum

Stewardship Committee

One year	James F. Collette, Chairman
Two years	Joe D. Drum
Three years	Alvin Stewart

Christian Life Committee

One year	Fred A. Carpenter, Chairman
Two years	Harold L. Brown
Three years	Buford Bumgarner

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Verlin Ray, Route 7, Lincolnton 28092
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CENTER VIEW – Paul K. Drum, Mrs. Warren Drum, Parks C. Harris, Mrs. Parks C. Harris, Grady Laney, Mrs. Grady Laney, Nancy Munday
CORAL PARK – Marshall H. Black
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LEONARD'S FORK – Mrs. Jonah Hager, Mrs. Mattie Holt, William Justice, Mrs. Iva Justice, Mrs. Ella Reynolds, Mrs. Ida Thompson
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MATHIS CHAPEL – W. B. Lynch, Mrs. W. B. Lynch
MOUNT ANDERSON – Mrs. Sam Blackwelder, Wade H. Caldwell, Mrs. Wade Caldwell Fred Carpenter, Mrs. Woodrow Isenhower, Mrs. Neal Purkey
MOUNT RUHAMA – Mrs. D. H. Caldwell, Don Ferrell
MOUNT ZION – Don Ballenger, Bartlett Hager, Mary Hager, Roy H. Hovis, Mrs. L. A. McClure, E. A. Sadler

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OAK GROVE – Lester Martin, Mrs. Lester Martin

OLIVET – Mrs. C. R. Faust, Bill Hoffman, Mrs. Bill Hoffman

PEARL – Harvey Dellinger, Barry Devine, Glenn Murphy, Mrs. Glenn Murphy, Mrs. Thelma Smith, Velma Smith

PINEY GROVE – Mrs. Vera Caldwell

REEPSVILLE – Buford Bumgarner, Mrs. Buford Bumgarner, Mrs. Vane Mahala, Mrs. Lillion Phelps, Mrs. Jess Scronce, Ralph Webb, Jr., Mrs. Allie West, Mrs. George Wood.

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Constitution

Preamble

We, the Missionary Baptist Churches of Jesus Christ, composing the South Fork Baptist Association, convinced of the necessity of an association of churches in order to promote fellowship, missions education, Christian service, the preaching of the gospel, and to cooperate with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention in their work, do hereby agree and subscribe to the following articles.

Article I NAME

The name of the body shall be the South Fork Baptist Association of North Carolina.

Article II MEMBERSHIP

The membership of the Association shall be composed of the duly elected messengers from the cooperating Baptist Churches in the South Fork Baptist Association, three for the first one hundred members or fraction thereof, and one for each additional one hundred members or fraction thereof, provided that no church shall have more than ten messengers in addition to the pastor. All Pastors of churches in the Association and the Director of Missions shall be recognized as messengers.

Article III AUTHORITY

This Association claims to be independent and sovereign in its own sphere, but shall never attempt to exercise any authority over the internal affairs of the churches.

Article IV ARTICLES OF FAITH

The Articles of Faith of this Association, which shall be the basis of fellowship and cooperation, are those adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention in Memphis, Tennessee on May 14, 1925 and amended in Kansas City, Missouri, May 9, 1963.

Article V MEETINGS

The Association shall meet annually on Tuesday and Wednesday after the third Sunday in October. The Moderator shall call special meetings of the Association upon the recommendation of the Executive Committee, provided two weeks notice is given to the member churches.

Article VI OFFICERS

The officers of the Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Parliamentarian, Historian, Libarian and three Trustees. They shall be elected by the Association in its annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting. Vacancies occuring between annual meetings shall be filled by the Executive Committee, except the office of Moderator, in which the Vice-Moderator shall automatically become Moderator.

Article VII ORGANIZATIONS

The Association shall encourage and promote such associational organizations as Sunday School, Church Training, Women's Missionary Union, Brotherhood, Music and such other organizations which are in keeping with the purpose of this Association with their full staffs and programs necessary for the promotion of the work. The officers of these organizations shall be elected by the Association in its annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting. Vacancies occuring between annual meetings shall be filled by the Executive Committee.

Article VIII ASSOCIATIONAL BOARD

The Association shall have an Associational Board composed of the officers of the Association, the Director of Missions, the Associational Sunday School Director, the Associational Church Training Director, the Associational W.M.U. Director, the Associational Brotherhood Director, the Associational Music Director, the pastors of the member churches, and two members from each member church to be elected by the church. The two members from each church shall be duly certified in the annual letter.

Article IX ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL

The Association shall have an Associational Council composed of the Director of Missions as chairman, the Moderator, the Associational Sunday School Director, the Associational Church Training Director, the Associational W.M.U Director, the Associational Brotherhood Director, the Associational Music Director, the chairman of the Executive Committee and the Chairman of Evangelism.

Article X COMMITTEES

The Moderator shall appoint at the annual meeting of the Association a committee on Committees, consisting of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.

The Association shall have the following standing committees, along with other committees authorized by the Association or the Associational Board.

1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of the Moderator, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, the Chairman of the Missions Committee and six other members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
2. The Finance Committee shall be composed of the Treasurer and six other members of whom at least two shall be other thon pastors at all times.
3. The Missions Committee shall be composed of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
4. The Nominating Committee shall be composed of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
5. The Program Committee shall be composed of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
6. The Evangelism Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.
7. The Ordination Committee shall be composed of six pastors.
8. The Resolutions Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.
9. The Stewardship Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.
10. The Christian Life Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.

Article XI NEW CHURCHES

The Association may receive other churches into its fellowship upon receipt of letters of dismission from other like associations. It may also receive newly constituted churches whose Articles of Faith harmonize with the generally accepted Articles of Faith among Southern Baptist. Any newly organized church applying for membership in the Association shall be received under the watchcare for a period of time sufficient to prove, through practice and attitude, its place as a cooperating Baptist church. A church, upon organization, may apply for membership through the Executive Committee of the Association. If, in the judgment of the Missions Committee, such church has met the requirements stated above, the Missions Committee may recommend at the next annual meeting that such church be received into the full fellowship of the Association. During this period of watchcare such churches shall be entitled to all rights and privileges of the Association except that their members shall not hold office nor vote.

Article XII DISCIPLINE

Any church failing to report the annual letter to the Association, or failing to be represent ed at the annual meeting, or failing to contribute worthily to Associational and Denominational Missions, for two consecutive years, shall be notified by the Executive Committee that if their failure is not remedied by the next annual meeting, recommendation shall be made to remove said church from the fellowship of the Association.

Articles XIII CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES

This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of the Association by a two-thirds majority of the messengers present and voting on the second day, at a time provided by the Program Committee, provided the proposed amendment has been presented to the Executive Committee in writing at least thirty days prior to the annual meeting, and provided the proposed amendment is read to the Association on the first day of the annual meeting.

Article XIV QUORUM

Messengers from thirty-three and one third percent of the churches enrolled as members of the Association shall constitute a quorum.

By-Laws

By-Law I Parliamentary Rules

The Parliamentary authority of the Association shall be Robert's Rules of Order (latest revised edition).

By-Law II. Associational Year

The Associational year shall begin October 1 and close September 30.

By-Law III. Meetings

The regular meetings of the Association shall be held at such places as may be decided by the Association in regular session. Change of places that may become necessary shall be decided by the Executive Committee. Each session of the Association shall be opened and closed with prayer.

By-Law IV. Election of Officers

Nominations for Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer shall be made from the floor. The Nominating Committee will present names for all other officers.

By-Law V. Duties of Officers

1. The Moderator shall preside over the meetings of the Association according to the Constitution and By-Laws, and appoint a Committee on Committees. He shall be chairman of the Associational Board and shall be a member of all committees. He shall be ineligible to suceed himself after the second successive term.

2. The Vice Moderator shall preside in the absence, or at the pleasure of the Moderator, and shall be vice chairman of the Associational Board.

3. The Clerk shall send annual report forms to the member churches at least thirty days prior to the annual Associational meeting. Keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the Association, supervise the printing and the distributing of the Minutes to the member churches, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee, keep on file copies of the minutes, records and other documents of the Association, and serve as Secretary of the Associational Board. For these services the Clerk may receive an honorarium annually to be decided by the Association.

4. The Treasurer shall receive and bank all funds of the Association in the name of the Association, disburse the same upon instructions from the Association, its Associational Board or as designated in the budget; render an accurate report of receipts and disbursements at the annual meeting, give a report at each quarterly Associational Board meeting; and keep books available and up to date for examination. For mutual protection the Treasurer shall be bonded in such an amount as the Executive Committee shall direct. For these services the Treasurer may receive an honorarium annually to be decided by the Association.

5. The Parliamentarian shall advise and assist the Moderator and the Association with respect to all matters involving proper parliamentary procedure.

6. The Historian shall collect and preserve historical data on the Association and its churches, and shall present a written report at each annual meeting of the Association.

7. The Librarian shall direct and supervise the Library Program of the Association and shall present a written report at each annual meeting of the Association.

8. The three Trustees shall be the legal representatives of the Association in all matters concerning the acquiring or disposing of property, and shall execute in the name of the Association all legal instruments as directed by the Association or the Associational Board.

By Law VI. Duties of Organizational Leaders

1. The Associational Sunday School Director shall promote and supervise the Sunday School Program of the Association, and shall be responsible for the direction of the Vacation Bible School work of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

2. The Associational Church Training Director shall promote and supervise the Church Training Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

3. The Associational Woman's Missionary Director shall promote and supervise the Woman's Missionary Union Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions and in keeping with the Constitution and By-Laws of Woman's Missionary Union of South Fork Baptist Association.

4. The Associational Brotherhood Director shall promote and supervise the Brotherhood Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

5. The Associational Music Director shall promote and supervise the Music Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

By-Law VII. The Associational Board

The Associational Board shall hold four quarterly meetings and others as necessary, and present a written report to the Association at its annual meeting. It shall be the duty of the Associational Board to act for the Association in the interim between annual meetings. It shall carry out the policies and will of the Association.

By-Law VIII. The Associational Council

The Associational Council shall coordinate the activities of the Associational organizations and plan and promote an Associational calendar of activities. It shall meet at least once per quarter.

By-Law IX. Duties of Committees

1. The Committee on Committees shall nominate the members of the several standing committees and present them for election by Association, fill any vacancies that may occur between annual meetings and report these to the Associational Board; and appoint special committees that may be authorized by the Association or its Associational Board.

2. The Executive Committee shall administer all matters committed to it by the Association or its Associational Board and decide on routine and emergency matters between sessions of the Associational Board. It shall initiate and recommend matters concerning business management and approve the employment of all personnel, except the Director of Missions. It shall accept applications for membership in the Association from newly constituted churches and may receive said churches under watchcare until the next annual meeting. It shall provide annually for an audit of the Treasurer's records and report the condition of the financial records to the Association. It shall give full guidance and direction to the Director of Missions in formulating plans and promoting the work of the Association in general. It shall meet monthly but a quorum of five shall be necessary to transact business. It shall report quarterly to the Associational Board.

3. The Finance Committee shall plan and present to the Associational Board in its last meeting prior to the annual meeting of the Association an annual budget to be approved by the Board and then present to the Association in its annual meeting for final approval. This committee shall have the general oversight and administration of the financial affairs of the association, and make a quarterly report to the Associational Board.

4. The Missions Committee shall survey communities which appear to be in need of new Baptist work and ministry; seek to enlist churches to sponsor new work in such communities; give guidance and council in procuring temporary and permanent sites for locating such work in accord with Associational policy; and make recommendations to the Association or its Associational Board as to the missionary needs which might be best met through cooperative efforts. It shall advise with any group considering a new church and assist in organizing new churches. It shall make recommendations to the Association concerning all churches under watchcare.

5. The Nominating Committee shall nominate at the annual meeting of the Association the officers of the Association and organizational officers according to Articles V and VI of the Contitution and Associational representatives for the various institutions and agencies of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

6. The Program Committee shall prepare a printed program for the annual meeting of the Association which shall be sent to all persons on the program and to all pastors at least thirty days before the annual meeting. It shall direct the enrolment of the messengers at the annual meeting. It shall recommend the place or places for the next annual meeting and the preacher and alternate for the annual sermon.

7. The Evangelism Committee shall promote the total program of Evangelism within the churches of the Association.

8. The Ordination Committee shall, upon request by a member church, assist with the examination and ordination of a candidate for the gospel ministry.

9. The Resolutions Committee shall present to the Association any resolutions it may deem wise. All resolutions presented to the Association shall be referred to the Resolutions Committee, except that by a two-thirds vote of the messengers present on the first day of the Associational meeting, the rules may be suspended and a resolution may be taken up for immediate consideration.

10. The Stewardship Committee shall promote the total program of Stewardship within the churches of the Association. It shall assist the Finance Committee in the promotion of the Associational budget.

11. The Christian Life Committee shall recommend ways in which the Association can work for the promotion of civic righteousness and social uplift.

12. Members of all committees shall be elected to serve on a rotating basis of not more than three years.

By-Law X. Employment Procedures

The Association shall employ a Director of Missions who shall be recommended by the Executive Committee and elected by the Association or the Associational Board. The Director of Missions shall work under the guidance of the Executive Committee and serve as a member of all committees. All other employed personnel, as may be provided in the Associational budget, shall be employed by the Executive Committee.

By-Law XI. Amendments

Amendments to the By-Laws may be made at any annual meeting by a majority of the messengers present.

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS JOB DESCRIPTION

I. Chief Administrative Office of the Association.

II. Relationships

1. Responsible to the Executive Committee of the Association. He shall meet with and report to the Executive Committee at least monthly.
2. General supervision of the personnel and program of the Association as they function through the Associational office.
3. Work primarily with the Associational general officers, committees, and organizations.
4. Work closely with auxiliary organizations (Pastors' conference, Ministers' wives, etc.)
5. Lead in maintaining relationships with State and SBC agencies.
6. Implement inter-action with outside agencies which may be beneficial to the program of the Association (American Bible Society, Christian Action League, news media, etc.)

III. Duties

1. Administrative

   a. Administer policies and instructions committed to him by the Association, its Associational Board or Executive Committee.

   b. Work closely with the Associational officers, committees, and organizations to help each group determine (1) its opportunities and objectives based on the needs in the churches; (2) its procedures and programs for achieving these objectives.

   c. Keep up-to-date information on population development throughout the area of the Association by means of area religious surveys; watch for mission needs, carefully studying areas with potential opportunities for new missions and churches with the assistance of the churches in said areas; make necessary recommendations to the Association or Associational Board concerning the location and purchase of property for new work within the area; to enlist the support of an already established church to sponsor new work.

   d. Encourage churches to extend their witness through new ministries such as day care centers, juvenile rehabilitation programs, prison work, etc.

   e. Assist the Associational organization heads in the development of annual and long-range objectives; set goals and make plans for their attainment.

   f. Correlate the work of all organizations and committees of the Association and publish a calendar of activities.

   g. Supervise the Associational staff (when such staff is employed) in their assigned tasks.

   h. Have general oversight of purchasing equipment and supplies within the approved budget, after having presented request to the Executive Committee in its monthly meeting.

   i. Help establish a rapport between the various organizations and groups within the Association in reference to policies and procedures by working closely with committee chairmen, by properly and unprejudicially conveying the actions and recommendations to the Executive Committee or Associational Board or to the Association in session.

   j. Inform State and Southern Convention agencies of needs, problems and potentialities within the Association.

   k. Keep abreast and well informed of all new programs of the State and the SBC and make himself available for the interpreting of such programs to the churches within the Associational area.

2. Counselor-Shepherd

   At the request of church leaders he shall counsel with leaders and/or churches with reference to (1) programs and procedures in their churches; (2) calling a pastor or other staff member (he shall not make recommendations to churches within the Associational area unless requested to do so); (3) actual or threatened breach of fellowship; (4) church objectives and policies; (5) assist pastors and others in counseling those who are called into church-related vocations.

3. In The Churches

   a. He shall establish an harmonious working relationship between himself and the pastor and leaders of the churches within the Associational area by the following means: (1) Systematic visitation of services of the Associational churches; (2) pulpit supply; (3) study courses; (4) missionary addresses; (5) teaching in Sunday School; (6) special day addresses; (7) ordination services; (8) planning and leading of Vacation Bible Schools; (9) revival meetings; (10) stewardship emphasis (for items 2-10 any remuneration received shall be considered that of the Director of Missions for services rendered unless otherwise instructed by the remunerator); (11) Deacons meetings, if requested to attend by the chairman; (12) assembly programs; (13) interpret phases of associational work, particularly when new work is being proposed for the association and especially to new churches and missions; (14) planning budgets; (15) planning buildings; (16) presenting Associational objectives and long-range plans; (17) evaluating for churches, at their request, associational curriculum, procedures, constitution and by-laws.

4. In The Association Office

   a. Personal correspondence, promotional mail and telephoning pertinent to his work. (The Director of Missions shall be expected to set up and maintain specific office hours - approximately four hours per day.)

b. Office conferences, answers to inquires, etc.

c. Assist Associational officers, committees and the organizational heads to get out promotional mail pertinent to their work (clerical work by the Director of Missions shall be kept to a very minimum and with the approval of the Association a secretary on at least a part-time basis shall be employed, upon the Executive Committee's approval.)

5. Reports

Reports shall be made to the Executive Committee monthly and to the Associational Board quarterly. Said reports to include the work activities of the Director of Missions including office hours kept, meetings conducted and/or attended, churches attended, church services participated in, days spent on the field, miles traveled, conferences held, etc. These reports should be distributed in mimeographed form at least quarterly.

POLICY STATEMENT:

The Director of Missions and the Association should have a clear understanding of policies vital to their relationship.

1. Term of service.

According to By-Law X the Director of Missions shall be recommended by the Executive Committee and elected by the Association or the Associational Board. He shall be called on the same basis that a church pastor is normally called for service. The Director of Missions service may be terminated either by himself after having given at least ninety days notice or by the Associational Board after a ninety days notice has been given. In the event the Association finds it necessary to terminate the services of the Director of Missions, he shall be paid thirty days severance pay.

2. The salary of the Director of Missions shall be recommended by the Finance Committee and adopted by the Association in its annual meeting. Fringe benefits and/or expense accounts shall also be stipulated in the annual budget of the Association. Honorariums shall be handled as previously described in Item III, section3, points 2-10.

3. Method of Salary Control.

The Finance Committee shall give careful study to the work of the Director of Missions at the close of each year, the existing economy, increases in the Missionary's expenses, etc., and shall recommend necessary adjustments in salary.

4. The Director of Missions will be granted two weeks vacation annually. In addition, he shall have one designated day per week off from his work, said day to be other than Sunday or Wednesday. The Association agrees that the Missions Director will have the necessary time involved to attend denominational meetings, such as Vacation Bible School clinics, annual Mission Superintendents' conferences, Southern Baptists and State Conventions, the State Evangelistic Conferences, etc., provided conditions in the Association permit and attendance at said Conferences are approved by the Executive Committee.

5. Revival

The Missions Director may not accept more than three weeks of services each year which require him to be away from the field of service. He may accept any number of revivals within the Association, provided this does not interfere with his normal work.

6. Sick Leave

It shall be understood that the salary of the Director of Missions shall be paid during the time when he may incur normal sicknesses, being confined either to his home or the hospital. In case of prolonged illness, 90 days or more, the Executive Committee shall confer with the Director of Missions and his physician if necessary to ascertain the probable extent of the time the Director shall be unable to perform his duties, upon the basis of that information they shall make recommendations to the Associational Board.

PROGRAM

Theme: "Share The Word Now"

Tuesday, October 23, 1973

East Maiden Baptist Church

3:30	Registration	
4:00	Worship "Sharing the Word by Shining Our Lights" W.J. Furr, Pastor, First Baptist Church, Newton	
4:15	Organization and Order of Business Welcome Recognition of Visitors Introduction of New Workers	D. Harding Caldwell
4:25	Reports and Miscellaneous Business Treasurer Finance Committee Executive Committee Committee on Committees Nominating Committee Missions Committee Program Committee	 Mrs. J.E. Helms Charles N. Cranford Cecil L. Ballard Melvin D. Rabb Coy H. Dellinger Robert A. Cantwell Charles Ingle
4:45	Hymn	
4:50	Message in Music	Mrs. Harry Campbell
4:55	Moderator's Address	Billy C. Beaver
5:20	Scripture Reading and Prayer Message in Music Annual Sermon	Charles N. Cranford Miss Ellen Bridges Floyd T. Kirksey
6:00	Benediction	Charles Mosley
	Supper	
7:00	Worship "Sharing the Word by Saving the World"	W.J. Furr
7:15	Message in Music	Choir, East Maiden Baptist Church
7:25	Christian Higher Education Address T. Robert Mullinax, Executive Secretary Council on Christian Higher Education	
8:00	Hymn	
8:05	Message in Music	Choir, East Maiden Baptist Church
8:15	Christian Action League Representative 36th District, N.C. General Assembly	Mrs. Jo Graham Foster
8:45	Benediction	George DeLozier

Wednesday, October 24, 1973
Southside Baptist Church

9:30	Worship "Sharing the Word by Majoring on the Major"	W.J. Furr
9:45	South Mountain Camp	T.A. Lineberger
9:55	Hospital	Calvin S. Knight
10:05	Homes for the Aging	William A. Poole
10:15	Children's Homes	Horace Bardfoot
10:25	Hymn	
10:30	Director of Mission's Address	James B. McQuere
10:50	Christian Literature	Woodrow W. Hill
11:00	Election of Officers and Miscellaneous Business	
11:15	Hymn	
11:20	Memorial Service	David C. Wesson
11:30	Message in Music	Mrs. Harry Campbell Mrs. Richard Wade
11:40	Address	Dr. Nathan C. Brooks, Jr. Director, Division of Church Programs Baptist State Convention of N. C.
12:15	Benediction	Nathan L. May

Lunch

Officers

Moderator	Billy C. Beaver
Vice-Moderator	Coy H. Dellinger
Clerk	Mrs. J. E. Helms
Music Director	Kennith D. Adams
Parliamentarian	Charles Ingle
Director of Missions	James B. McQuere

PROCEEDINGS

October 23, 1973

The ninety-fifth annual session of the South Fork Baptist Association was called to order by Moderator, Billy C. Beaver, at 4:00 p.m.

"Sharing the Word by Shining Our Lights" was the theme for the worship period led by Rev. W. J. Furr, Scripture reading was from Matthew 5:14-16. The congregation, led by Kennith D. Adams with Mrs. Glenn Murphy at the piano, sang the hymn "Send the Light". Mr. Furr closed the worship period with prayer.

Charles Ingle made the following motion: I move that the messengers now registered and those who will register, shall constitute the ninety-fifth session of the South Fork Baptist Association. Motion carried.

Charles Ingle made the following motion: I move that the program as printed with whatever changes may become necessary, shall be the order of business for this ninety-fifth session. Motion carried.

Melvin Rabb welcomed the Association on behalf of the host church and gave instructions for the evening meal.

Visitors recognized were Mrs. Harry Campbell, First Baptist Church, Lenoir.

The following new pastors were recognized and welcomed by D. Harding Caldwell into our association: Charles Mosley, Antioch; George DeLozier, Cedar Grove; Hartwell E. Condrey, Gainsville; Foyd Bennett, Lawing's Chapel; Albert C. Helms, Jr., Lincoln Avenue; Bruce Mathis, Mathis Chapel; Donald L. Ballenger, Mt. Zion; Nathan L. May, River View; and Don Willis, Sharon.

Also recognized by Harding Caldwell were two senior citizens for their years of faithful attendance, Mr. Jim Canipe, East Maiden and Mrs. Mary Ballard, Macedonia.

James B. McQuere recognized the following ministers not serving as pastors; Paul K. Drum, John Crews, Bartlett Hager, Curtis Knight, and Lawrence Laney.

The following reports were presented and adopted: Treasurer (page 17) Mrs. J. E. Helms; Finance Committee (pages 9-10) Charles N. Cranford; Executive Committee (pages 8-9) Cecil L. Ballard; Committee on Committees (pages 6-7) Melvin D. Rabb; Nominating Committee (page 13) Billy Hoffman; Missions Committee (pages 12-13) Robert A. Cantwell excluding item 4. These reports are found in the Book of Reports.

Billy C. Beaver appointed the following to serve on Committee on Committees:

Three years	James F. Collette, Craig Memorial
Three years	Kenneth Wehunt, Hull's Grove
	Coy H. Dellinger, Chairman

Program Committee report by Charles Ingle. We recommend: that for the 1974 session we meet on the first day with Faith Church; and on the second day with David Memorial Church. We further recommend: that the preacher of the annual sermon be Charles N. Cranford and the alternate Guy P. Helms.

James B. McQuere moved the remaining reports in the 1973 Book of Reports be adopted. Motion carried.

James B. McQuere made the following announcements:

A Youth Rally, Saturday, November 3 at 2:00 p.m. on the East Lawn of the Lincoln County Court House. The purpose is to distribute leaflets regarding the L.B.D. election coming up.

There will be a Foreign Mission Conference on October 29, 30, 31, 1973. There will be morning services at Lincolnton, First and Monday and Tuesday evenings at Southside and Maiden, First, with missionaries speaking. On Wednesday evening we will all go to East Lincoln High School for an Associational Rally. Features will be the Flag March and Dr. Baker James Cauthen, Executive Secretary, Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board.

D. Harding Caldwell stated in the past it has been our policy to honor the memory of deceased pastors who have spent much of their life and ministry in our association by including a portrait and a biographical sketch in our Associational Annual. If it is in agreement with this body I should like to make the following motion: That we include in the 1973 Annual a portrait and a biographical sketch of two of our former pastors: namely: The Reverend Albert Roy Waters and The Reverend Belton Columbus Beal. If this action increases the cost of the Annual above $1.20 per copy I should like to suggest that the balance be taken from the miscellaneous item in our budget. Motion carried.

The Moderator recognized Coy H. Dellinger, Vice-Moderator to take charge.

Kennith D. Adams led the congregation, with Harold Caldwell, Jr., at the organ and Mrs. Glenn Murphy at the piano, in the singing of the hymn "I Love to Tell the Story."

Message in Music by Mrs. Harry Campbell accompanied by Mrs. Leon Drum at the piano "One in the Spirit".

The Moderator's address by Billy C. Beaver. Theme "What We Have Done", Scripture reading: Lamentations 3:40-41; Joshua 1:8; Mark 16:15.

Scripture reading, James 4:14-17 and prayer by Charles N. Cranford.

Special music by Miss Ellen Bridges accompanied at the piano by Harold Caldwell, Jr., sang "Here is My Life".

Annual sermon was brought by Floyd T. Kirksey, theme "Share the Word Now", text James 4:14.

Charles Mosley led in the benediction and blessing for the evening meal.

Evening session was called to order by Billy C. Beaver, Moderator, at 7:00 p.m.

Kennith Adams led the congregation in singing the hymn "We Have Heard the Joyful Sound".

Rev. W. J. Furr led the worship period, the theme "Sharing the Word by Saving the World", scripture Mark 16:14-20 and closed with prayer.

Message in music by East Maiden Choir, directed by Harold Caldwell, Jr., sang a medley "Let's Talk about Jesus" and "When We all get to Heaven".

Billy C. Beaver introduced Mr. T. Robert Mullinax, Executive Secretary, Council on Christian Higher Education who brought the Christian Higher Education address.

Kennith Adams led the congregation in the singing of "O Zion Haste".

254 registered.

Message in music by East Maiden Choir, directed by Harold Caldwell, Jr., sang a medley "Tis Marvelous, and Wonderful" and "God is So Wonderful".

James B. McQuere introduced Mrs. Jo Graham Foster, Representative 36th District, N. C. General Assembly, who spoke on the Christian Action League and the house bill No. 9.

George DeLozier led in the benediction.

October 24, 1973

The session was called to order by Vice-Moderator at 9:30 a.m.

David C. Wesson welcomed the association on behalf of the host church and gave instructions for the noon meal.

Worship period opened with Kennith Adams leading the congregation in singing the hymn "Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross". W. J. Furr spoke on the theme "Sharing the Word by Majoring on the Major". Scripture from John 3:16, and closed in prayer.

T. A. Lineberger spoke concerning the South Mountain Baptist Camp.

Calvin S. Knight spoke concerning the Baptist Hospital.

William A. Poole spoke concerning the Homes for the Aging.

Horace Barefoot spoke concerning the Children's Homes.

Kennith Adams led the congregation in singing the hymn "Forward Through the Ages."

The Director of Missions address by James B. McQuere. He challenged everyone to "The Now" to Share the Word. We must look out through the eyes of our Lord and see people with a heart of compassion. "Don't fake it, you must say it with Love!"

Woodrow W. Hill spoke concerning Christian Literature.

The following were elected to serve for 1973-74: Moderator, Billy C. Beaver; Vice-Moderator, Coy H. Dellinger; Clerk and Treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Helms.

Robert A. Cantwell made a motion that item 4 of Missions Committee Report (page 13 - Book of Reports) be adopted. Motion carried and Marshall Black, pastor of Coral Park was extended the right hand into full fellowship of the association.

Loyd Spencer presented the following report of the Resolutions Committee which was adopted: We are grateful to Brother Melvin D. Rabb and the members of East Maiden Church, and to Brother David C. Wesson and the members of Southside Church for their gracious hospitality and entertainment for this ninety-fifth session, We deeply appreciate their warm welcome. It would be impossible to express appreciation to all the persons to whom the association is indebted for this 1973 session, special gratitude is due the Program Committee for the splendid program; the Program personalities who have so generously shared with us, expecially those who have traveled a distance; our Moderator who has unselfishly and diligently given of his time and all our officers

who have served well and efficiently. Most of all we give thanks to our Heavenly Father for His blessings upon us as an association and for the progress that has been achieved this past year.

Melvin Rabb reported that 187 registered today.

B. J. Morris made the announcement: There will be a Youth Rally, Saturday, November 3, 2:00 p.m. on the East Lawn of Lincoln County Court House, after which we will distribute hand-outs about L.B.D.

David C. Wesson recognized Rev. & Mrs. Lee Roy Smith who will be coming to Southside in November.

Kennith D. Adams led the congregation in the singing of the hymn "Thou Whose All Mighty Word".

David C. Wesson led in the Memorial Service to those of our association who have passed away during the year. Selected passages of scripture were read and Billy C. Beaver closed in prayer.

Mrs. Harry Campbell and Mrs. Richard Wade accompanied by Mrs. Leon Drum at the piano, sang "O Lord Most Holy", "Now I Belong to Jesus", and "Abiding Love".

Dr. Nathan C. Brooks, Jr., Director, Division of Church Programs, Baptist State Convention of N.C., brought the closing address. Using the theme "Why Am I a Baptist?" He gave three main points: (1) follows the teaching of the Word; (2) church polity; (3) Baptist Cooperative Program.

Nathan L. May led in the benediction and blessings for the noon meal.

Attendance first day: 254, second 187 = 441.

WRITTEN REPORTS FOR THE 1973 SESSIONS OF THE SOUTH FORK BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

The American Bible Society and the Southern Baptist Convention work cooperatively as "partners" in sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ to people around the world. This is a tremendous challenge, calling for the widest possible distribution of the Scriptures. Since the eternal truths of the Bible speak to the heart and mind of man, the sole purpose and mission of the Bible Societies is to make God's Word available to all men everywhere in a language and form they can easily read and understand and at a price they can afford.

To fulfill this urgent need, the Bible Societies have embarked on an ambitious program for the development of Scripture Literacy Selections to meet the rapidly mounting rate of literacy growth around the globe. This program is being built on the theme: "Let the Word Speak".

"Graded" Scriptures are being designed on five progressive reading levels to lead new readers from literacy primer levels to reading levels of the normal "common language." Before the end of the decade, these Scripture Literacy Selections will be prepared in 100 languages.

At the same time the Bible Societies are translating the Scriptures into understandable, everyday language, such as "Good News for Modern Man," the New Testament in Today's English Version, of which over 40 million copies have already been distributed — the all-time "best-seller" in the history of paperback publications.

In addition to "Good News," "common language" Scripture translations have already been completed in Spanish for Latin America, Spanish for Europe, Dutch, French, German, Korean, Finnish and Thai, and work on 39 similar translations in other languages is already underway. All translations are being made from the original Greek.

At the present time, nearly 97% of the world's people can secure at least a Portion (a single Book of the Bible) in their own language. Approximately 3,000 translators are presently at work on some 600 new translations and revisions. At the end of 1972 at least one Book of the Bible had been published in 1,500 languages and dialects — the complete Bible in 255. (At the end of 1965, the Scriptures were available in only 1,250 languages and dialects.)

During these past six years Southern Baptist have lead all other U.S. denominations in their gifts to the ABS. Southern Baptists can continue to lead if EVERY CHURCH will contribute. Has YOUR CHURCH given this year?

Please send all gifts from your church to your State Baptist Convention office, marked "for the American Bible Society".

ANNUITY BOARD
Alvin L. Hoyle

The Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention this year added new benefits or increased benefits for most active and retired pastors, church staff members and denominational workers it serves.

For annuitants (retirees, widows and disabled persons) on the roll December 31, 1972, monthly income checks have been permanently increased by 6 per cent. Just before Christmas, 1972, more than 7,000 annuitants received "13th Checks" amounting to the size of two extra months' benefits. The "13th Checks" are paid in addition to the regular monthly payments.

Participants in Plans A-10, A-11, and A-25 on January 1, 1973 had their accrued credits increased by 10 per cent in "good experience credit", and Plan B participants received an additional interest credit based on the Board's good experience on its investments. In addition, the Board approved (subject to action by state conventions) an increase in widow benefits under Plan A to 50 per cent of the potential or actual retirement benefit; previously it was 40 per cent. This increase applies to those retiring January 1, 1973 and thereafter.

At the same time, a temporary income benefit under Plan A was established for a widow, child or dependent parent of those who die before early or normal retirement, or after disability retirement, and who have met the required participation. The temprary income benefit can amount, at maximum, to $333.33 per month for 36 months (or a total of $12,000) if the participant died before age 40. The length of payment of the benefit decreases with the age at death. This benefit is payable to those who died January 1, 1973 or thereafter.

More than 9,000 insurance policyholders transferred from the previous Health Benefit Plan with Blue Cross-Blue Shield to the new plan begun January 1, 1973 with Aetna Life Insurance Company.

The Board reported several records for its operations in 1972. Funds held in trust for over 38,000 participants in retirement plans passed $300 million for the first time. Investment income reached a new high for 1972 of more than $22 million. Retirement and other protection benefits paid out for the 12-month period surpassed $10 million for the first time.

The total amount of money paid in "13th Checks" exceeded one million dollars, also for the first time. Good investment results in 1972 on fund held to pay benefits account for this dividend.

Income from premiums and dues topped $30 million, another record.

Information on the Annuity Board may be secured by writing Development Office, Annuity Board, SBC, 511 North Akard Building, Dallas, Texas 75201

As of June 21, 1973 30 churches in the South Fork Association were participating in the retirement program.

ASSOCIATIONAL BOARD
Billy C. Beaver

The Associational Board held four meetings during the year, It took the following actions:

1. Appointed a committee of seven laymen representative of the association to study a proposal from the Massapoag Church to sell 1½ acres of property, fronting on Highway 150 by-pass in Lincolnton and make such recommendations as they deem advisable as to price, purchase, finance, etc. The following were named to the committee: Elliott Loftin, Chairman; Truitt Beard; G. Wayne Finger; Bob Hawley; J. M. Sherrill; Harold Sipe; Emmitt Turbyfill.

2. Upon recommendation of the committee voted to purchase the Massapoag Church property at a price of $2,000, and authorized the trustees to negotiate a temporary loan to cover the purchase price, the cost of a survey, and all legal fees.

3. Approved the proposed budget for 1973-74.

BAPTIST FOUNDATION
J. C. Beal

The North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc., is a charitable corporation, chartered under the laws of the State of North Carolina by the Baptist State Convention in 1920. The Foundation, as an agency of the Convention, encourages, receives, and manages gifts and bequests for benefit of all Baptist institutions, agencies, and causes fostered and supported by the North Carolina and Southern Baptist Conventions. The Foundation is not a competitive agency, but a service agency dedicated to the task of undergirding all Baptist work. It encourages the donor to use the local church as a channel for directing the income from Foundation trusts to the benefiting cause. The operating expenses of the Foundation is received from the Cooperative Program of the Convention.

The Foundation Executive Secretary is available to assist churches and individuals interested in a program of perpetual stewardship, particularly as in related to estate planning, involving gifts to Baptist institutions, agencies, and causes. The Foundation provides a means for establishing trusts to benefit these Christian causes as well as providing an opportunity for perpetual stewardship witness. Through gifts of property, cash, or securities during lifetime, donors and/or other beneficiaries can receive annuities from the Foundation during their lifetime, and can also receive certain tax benefits provided for such gifts

At the fiscal year ending June 30, 1972, the cost of inventory value of all securities, notes and principal cash of all funds being administered by the Foundation exceeded $713,560.00, (real estate not included). During the preceding year, beneficiaries of existing trusts were paid $23,483.82. A total of $105,531.08 has been paid to Baptist institutions, agencies, and causes during the past five years from the income of invested Foundation funds.)

CHILDREN'S HOMES
William Justice

Christian child care is a creative opportunity. The Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina is committed to quality care which nurtures the whole person, physically, mentally, emotionally, and spiritually. It is our hope that each child in our care will have the opportunity to develop the full potential which is his by God's creation.

This has been a year of development and constructive change for the Homes. The entire agency has voluntarily met the minimum standards for child caring agencies and has been licensed by the State of North Carolina for all of our services to children and their families.

Each of the three administrative areas has realized significant growth. In the Western Area, two additional cottages have been completed and occupied at Broyhill Home and construction has begun on the administration building and the recreation building. The Maternity Home continues to operate at or near capacity in its service to unwed mothers. In the Eastern Area, a new cottage is being built at Kennedy Home and the foster care program has been enlarged.

In the Piedmont Area three developments deserve special attention. (1) Mills Home has a new administrative organization. The twenty cottages have been divided into four units of five each, and each unit will have a unit director, two social workers, and the cottage personnel. These smaller units will provide closer working relationships between staff members, between staff and children, and between staff and families. (2) Wall Home at Wallburg has been reopened to provide for a group of boys, utilizing the special skills of the houseparents in an outdoor adventure program. (3) We are negotiating with Baptists in Alamance and Mecklenburg counties for the establishment of emergency care units. These units will be joint ventures between the Homes and the local supporters, with the local group providing the buildings and the Homes operating the program of care.

Three pressing needs are laid on the hearts of Baptists who are concerned for our ministry of Christian child care. (1) We need many families who will open their homes to accept foster children. Any family interested in exploring this Christian service to children should write or call the nearest office of the Baptist Children's Homes. (2) The increase in the cost of food, clothing, supplies and services makes the Cooperative Program and the Thanksgiving Offering all the more important to our continuing services. We need significant increases in both to meet rising costs. (3) Several old cottages remain which need to be replaced with new cottages better suited to present patterns of child care. The development staff welcomes the opportunity to counsel any person regarding his lasting investment in Christian child care.

CHRISTIAN ACTION LEAGUE
Floyd T. Kirksey

The Christian Action League is actively engaged in an all out campaign to defeat the referendum in a vote against liquor-by-the-drink on November 6, 1973. The plan of action is to organize a local county chapter in each of the 100 counties of the State. A multi-media advertising campaign costing $250,000 is being projected to cover the State with the truth about what liquor-by-the-drink will do in North Carolina. All this is aimed at getting the people to the polls on November 6. Complacency on the part of dry supporters could be the biggest danger that is faced in this campaign.

As concerned Christian citizens we can do several things:

1. Pray for the success of this campaign and for all of those who are involved in its promotion.

2. Help the local unit of the Christian Action League in your County in its efforts to inform the people, alert the citizens and get the dry vote on November 6.

3. Give of your financial resources, of your time and talents in this most vital vote for the welfare of our State.

CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION
Robert A. Cantwell

Churches and Colleges Working Together

In North Carolina, Baptist churches and Baptist colleges enjoy a supportive partnership. It is still true that most of our pastors, missionaries, church staff members and denominational leaders are educated in Baptist colleges. Another outstanding example of church-college cooperation is the Baptist Youth Corps, which provided dedicated student leadership for more than eighty North Carolina Baptist churches during the summer of 1973. On campus, the college presidents interpret to the faculty and staff that our churches and colleges play important, complementary roles in the Christian missionary enterprise.

Cooperative Program

Your North Carolina Baptist colleges continue to be grateful for the support which comes through the Cooperative Program. During 1973, more than two million dollars will be given to support Christian higher education. Your colleges share this support as follows:

	1973	1974 Goals
Campbell College	$ 340,721	$ 369,039
Chowan College	212,951	230,649
Gardner-Webb College	249,153	269,859
Mars Hill College	296,002	320,602
Meredith College	296,002	320,602
Wake Forest University	517,471	560,477
Wingate College	217,210	235,262
	$2,129,510	$2,306,490

The Importance of Baptist Students

The colleges make a special effort to recruit North Carolina Baptist students. In fact, no qualified student is turned down in any of our colleges because of inability to pay. The churches help to make this possible through the Cooperative Program and the Baptist College Scholarship Offering on Father's Day. Baptist colleges stress the importance of the individual student, and are anxious to enroll the youth from our churches who plan to attend college. Churches can help their students and their colleges by encouraging interested young people to apply for enrollment in one of the seven North Carolina Baptist colleges.

Council on Christian Higher Education

Since 1945, the cooperative efforts and relationships of North Carolina Baptist colleges have been coordinated by the Council on Christian Higher Education of the Baptist State Convention. The Council office is eager to assist both the churches and the colleges as together they help to create persons and a world as Christ would have them.

CHRISTIAN LITERATURE

Grady Bumgarner

This has been another good year for the BIBICAL RECORDER, thanks to your support and confidence. One of the milestones reached in the past year was passing the 100,000 mark in circulation. This occurred in May and circulation has now risen to nearly 106,000—the highest in the 140-year history of the RECORDER. This has been achieved largely because more churches are putting the RECORDER in the budget, thus saving money and also time and effort that is put forth each year to renew their subscriptions under the Club Plan of four or more.

All of these things are encouraging to those getting out the RECORDER each week. They feel their obligation to North Carolina Baptist is to get out the finest paper possible—one that is attractive and filled with interesting and helpful material. In addition, news coverage of meetings such as the Committee of 11 is needed if North Carolina Baptist are to settle this issue which has come up in the last two state conventions.

Associate Editor Toby Druin has covered every meeting of this committee which is studying the baptism issue in our state. The RECORDER will carry the full report of this committee 60 days before the convention meets in Greensboro. The RECORDER's coverage of these important meetings will do much to help messengers arrive at the right decision in November. This is the Baptist way—full information which comes with freedom of the press.

As you know, the RECORDER has for years led the fight against liquor by the drink. Now the issue is up to the people in a statewide referendum on November 6. The RECORDER will continue to give you information that will help win this fight against the liquor interests and those who would profit from liquor by the drink if this passes—which we hope and pray it won't. If individual Baptists will become as concerned about this evil as the RECORDER is, a great victory for decency will be won in November.

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES
Melvin D. Rabb

Executive Committee
Three years - Charles Ingle — Emmitt Turbyfill
Chairman - Cecil L. Ballard

Finance Committee
Three years - Hartwell E. Condrey — Kirby D. Dellinger, Jr.
Chairman - Charles N. Cranford

Missions Committee
Three years - Carl E. Helms — J. E. Helms
Chairman - Donald W. Ferrell

Nominating Committee
Three years - Ralph F. Webb, Jr. — Bobby S. Hord
Chairman - Coy H. Dellinger

Program Committee
Three years - Nathan L. May — Mrs. Cecil L. Ballard
Chairman - Melvin D. Rabb

Evangelism Committee
Three years - Foyd Bennett
Chairman - B. J. Morris

Ordination Committee
One year - Albert C. Helms, Jr.
Three years - George DeLozier, Charles Mosley
Chairman - Glenn Murphy

Resolutions Committee
Three years - Mrs. Joe D. Drum
Chairman - Loyd Spencer, Jr.

Stewardship Committee
Three years - Alvin Stewart
Chairman - James F. Collette

Christian Life Committee
Three years - Buford Bumgarner
Chairman - Fred A. Carpenter

EVANGELISM
Ralph F. Webb, Jr.

"SHARING CHRIST NOW" was the theme of the 27th Statewide Evangelism Conference at Ovens Auditorium, Charlotte - February 5-7, 1973. Over 2,400 pastors and lay persons were challenged by outstanding speakers to lead their people to become more involved in the work of evangelism. The closing session on Wednesday, February 7, was held at Pritchard Memorial Church, with an emphasis on prayer and personal renewal.

The Division of Evangelism has encouraged churches to participate in KEY 73. One hundred and fifty denominations are sharing in this evangelistic effort. The purpose of KEY 73 is to unite all Christians in the task of evangelism and to enable Christians to confront every person in the United States and Canada with the Gospel of Christ.

It is thrilling what the Holy Spirit is doing through the ministry of our first summer youth evangelism team. Three college students - Steve Stout, Cooleemee; Terry Crouse, Lenoir, and Christy Farrior, Williamston, are leading in music, preaching in youth revivals, and directing youth witness training sessions in churches from Marshall to Washington.

During June 11-15 over 730 youth and adults were present for the Youth Ministries Week at the North Carolina Baptist Assembly, with the emphasis on Evangelism, Vocational Guidance, and Recreation. Eighty-one youth made various decisions, including sixteen professions of faith.

Thousands of youth, pastors, and adult leaders attended the 3rd Statewide Youth Evangelism Night at Greensboro Coliseum on August 17. It is exciting how God is using the witness of thousands of Christian youth across our state in a tremendous manner.

The response of youth and adults to Lay Evangelism Schools in the past twenty months has been outstanding. 9,564 youth and adults have participated in this lay witness training from 720 churches and 34 associations. Also, 107 pastors from nine associations shared in a Pastor's Retreat to learn how to lead their churches in Lay Evangelism Schools.

The Division of Evangelism in cooperation with the Department of City and Metropolitan Missions sponsored a Metropolitan Missions and Evangelism Seminar on October 1-2 at Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary at Wake Forest with the theme: "Reaching the Cities for Christ".

The 28th Statewide Evangelism Conference will be at War Memorial Auditorium Greensboro, during February 4-6, 1974.

Let us avail ourselves of every opportunity to learn and to be inspired that we may be more effective witnesses for Christ.

Let us thank God for the excellent reports of revival meetings, city-wide crusades, and evangelism clinics. Remember to pray for the TOGETHER WE ADVANCE emphasis that we may strive to attain a 10% increase in baptisms, Cooperative Program gifts, Bible Study enrollment and Associational Mission gifts.

We offer again the challenge to every pastor, church leader and church member to be a personal soul winner in this new church year.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
Cecil L. Ballard

The Executive Committee of the South Fork Association met each month and proceeded with the business when there was a quorum. The financial report of the Asaociation and report of Director of Missions Activities were received at each meeting.

Motion made and seconded that the Director of Missions sponsor a charter bus trip to Portland, Oregon for the Baptist World Youth Conference, July 31-August 4, 1974. Motion carried.

Applications for Christian Vocation Scholarships at Gardner-Webb College were approved for the following students: Robert Norman III, Hulls Grove; Loretta Sides, Southside; Grady Bumgarner, Long Shoals; Ronald Arndt, Piney Grove; William S. Painter, Antioch; William Underwood, East Maiden; Myron M. Wise, First Church, Maiden.

Motion made and seconded that Coy H. Dellinger be appointed as Vice-Moderator for the Association. Motion carried.

Upon recommendation of the Director of Missions, David Rhodes of East Maiden Church was appointed Softball Commissioner.

The Director of Missions announced the resignation of Mrs. J. E. Helms as office secretary effective March 31, 1973.

Upon recommendation of the Director of Missions, Mrs. Rita Felts, a member of Lawing's Chapel, was approved as office secretary.

A motion was adopted to allocate twenty dollars ($20.00) from the Missions Committee's Banner Contest.

The following was adopted to be recommended to the Associational Board:

In view of the offer made by Massapoag Church to sell property to the Association:

We recommend:

that we appoint a committee of seven laymen representative of the association to study the proposal and make such recommendations as they deem advisable as to price, purchase, finance, etc.

We further recommend:

that should the committee recommend the purchase of the proposed property, they are instructed to give consideration to the type of building needed, the estimated cost, how such a building could be financed and make such recommendations they deem advisable.

Motion made to request possible funds from State Missions Board for the support of a New Mission to be located on Highway 321 North of Lincolnton at the new housing development. Motion approved.

The Director of Missions recommended that the Associational Board meeting for 1973-74 be held at the following churches: Westport, Pearl, Cedar Grove, and Crouse. This was approved.

A motion was made and carried that the Committee recommend that the Associational Board meetings be changed from the third Tuesday in the second month of the quarter to the third Tuesday in the third month of the quarter.

The association's books were audited and found to be correct and well kept.

FOREIGN MISSIONS
Melvin D. Rabb

In 1972 the Foreign Mission Board appointed 171 new missionaries. These appointments raised our total assigned missionaries to 2,507, and provided personnel to serve in 76 countries. Since 1845 the Foreign Mission Board has appointed 4,968 missionaries. This figure included short-term personnel but does not include reappointments.

We have missionary losses each year. The death of missionary nurse Mavis Pate by terrorist gunfire outside Gaza is but one example. Sometimes the illness of one family member can cause an entire family to have to leave their field of service. Let us be mindful of our missionaries and pray to the Lord of the Harvest to send even more workers and grant strength to those now serving.

For many years Southern Baptists have endeavored to make available for foreign mission work approximately 50 percent of the Southern Baptist Convention Cooperative Program funds. Additional funds come through the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering.

Does your church support Foreign Missions as it should?

FINANCE COMMITTEE PROPOSED BUDGET 1973-74
Charles N. Cranford

Item	Proposal
Director of Missions Salary	$ 7,800.00
Car Allowance	1,800.00
Denominational Meetings	550.00
Retirement Plan	780.00
Hospital Insurance	508.00
Life Insurance	314.00
Home Utilities	625.00
Home Telephone	102.00
Home Upkeep & Repair	600.00
Office Supplies, Postage	1,100.00
Office Rent	420.00
Office Utilities	250.00
Office Telephone	300.00
Office Secretary	2,200.00
Christmas Bonuses	175.00
Insurance	150.00
Clerk	225.00
Treasurer	225.00
Annual Meeting	150.00
Social Security	585.00
Annuals	300.00
Sunday School	100.00
Church Training	100.00
W.M.U.	425.00
Brotherhood	100.00
Music	50.00
Audio-Visual Aids	100.00
Evangelism Committee	100.00
Missions Committee	600.00
Miscellaneous	300.00
	$ 21,034.00

HISTORY
Mrs. Harmon James

BOGER CITY - Day Camp for 4 & 5 year olds and Grades 1-3.
FELLOWSHIP - Instituted a bus ministry.
MT. ANDERSON - Renovated the church auditorium and completed third floor of educational building.
MT. ZION - Paved parking lot and called Donald W. Ballenger as pastor.
NORTH BROOK - Air conditioned church
PEARL - Paved parking lot and completed Fellowship Building.
RIVER VIEW - Called Nathan L. May as pastor and instituted Deacon Family Ministry
ROSELAND - Started construction of new sanctuary
SALEM - Instituted Children's Church, ages 3-11.
SHARON - Laid cornerstone of new church.
SOUTHSIDE - Dedicated new sanctuary February 18, 1973.
WESTPORT - Dedicated new sanctuary

HOME MISSIONS
D. Harding Caldwell

A strong secular spirit influences the nation, but there is a turning inward by the people. There is an introspection, an obsession with feeling and passion. At the same time there is an easing of institutional alienation, coupled with an awareness that the ills which plague our society are deep and pervasive. There is also a headlong push for security or for pleasure coupled with a sense of apathy.

The people of the nation hunger for values, meaning in life, purpose, and for God. Southern Baptists are committed to meeting these needs, to make disciples of all persons through faith in Jesus Christ.

An effective, well-trained mission force, for the most part supported and supervised in cooperation with the state mission boards, serves in all fifty states, Panama, and Puerto Rico. For the third year this force remained at 2,200, not because of a lack of volunteers, but because inflation cut away at the agency's ability to finance a larger number. More than 150 qualified workers have contacted the Board for appointment, but funds are not available.

It may well be that the most significant challenge of our time is the challenge to help claim America for Christ to a degree never before true. What happens in and through the churches of this land has supreme significance, humanly speaking, in the programs of the missionary causes around the world.

HOMES FOR THE AGING
Fred A. Carpenter

One of the most meaningful things that you do as a Baptist is the share that you have in the ministry of your North Carolina Baptist Homes for the Aging. As you look back with us upon the twenty-two years of this ministry, and the last year in particular, there are distinctive blessings that we would like to call to your mind and heart.

In the first place, there is no greater realization that we can have together than the awareness of the fact that this special ministry to older people is a venture of faith in God. It always has been. We hope that it always will be. God has brought us from one Home to five resident Homes, with two located in Winston-Salem (Resthaven and the

Hayes Home), and one each in Albemarle, Hamilton, and Yanceyville. These Homes have a capacity for 162 residents, and there is a Nursing Care Unit in Winston-Salem, with a capacity for 63 patients, and serving all of the Homes' residents, when nursing care is needed. Four out of every five persons who come to us in our Homes for the Aging are persons whose income is very limited. They look to you, through your love gifts, for a supplement to their care, and all of us look to the Lord continually for His great love. This, therefore, is a venture of faith.

Never forget that this is your ministry, on behalf of Christ, to older persons and that they simply could not be ministered unto without your love gifts. Specifically, during the past year, through your gifts, you contributed $185 a month for the care of the the majority of the residents in your five Baptist Homes. Through the Special Offering you contributed 20% of the total income of the Homes, and through the Cooperative Program, you gave 10% of the total budget needed. The tie that binds this ministry to the hearts of our Baptist people and our Baptist Churches is a very special one and a very distinctive one indeed.

God bless you for your share in this ministry to the Aging, which is both special and distinctive. Pray for us, come to see us, and continue to support this ministry as liberally and loyally in the future as you have in the past.

HOSPITAL
Carl E. Helms, Sr.

In May of this year Baptist Hospital observed its 50th Anniversary. The hospital opened its doors in May of 1923 "to bring the healing art more definitely under the dominion of the Great Healer."

The anniversary was celebrated jointly with the dedication of the new Reynolds Tower, a 16-story patient care facility. The completion of the Tower brings the total bed capacity to 655, placing Baptist Hospital within the top 10 per cent (in size) among hospitals in the United States. When the renovation of older sections of the hospital is completed the total number of beds will be 717.

Construction has begun on an ambulatory care building which will house the emergency room, several outpatient clinics, the Physical Therapy Department, and an Oncology (Cancer) Clinic and Research Laboratories. This building and the above-mentioned renovation will complete the present Medical Center Development Program.

Last November the Baptist State Convention heard the report of the Committee of 15 and adopted its recommendations. The hospital has been seeking to implement these recommendations:

1. A Medical Center Committee, Composed of 8 Trustees from the Baptist Hospital Board and 8 from the Wake Forest University Board, has been appointed. This Committee will consider matters involving the Medical Center and its future Operations.

2. In January the hospital trustees appointed a committee of three to review appropriations from the Mother's Day fund and assist hospital personnel in making decisions on some specific requests for assistance. The hospital continues to provide care for people who cannot pay, valued at far in excess of the total Mother's Day Offering. The auditors' confirmed value of this care in 1972 was $1,390,000 —nearly four times the amount of the Mother's Day Offering—and this does not include the value of physicians' service, provided without cost to these service patients.

3. The Department of Pastoral Care is expanding its services to provide training for lay people. Dr. Mahan Siler joined the staff June 1 to head up this new work. The Department also anticipates the establishment of several sattlelite counseling and training centers in the state, beginning in the near future. Your Cooperative Program gifts support the work of this department.

The hospital's financial operation is "in the black", and there has not been a general room rate increase in 2½ years. As of this date, the Mother's Day Offerings are running ahead of last year.

MISSIONS COMMITTEE
Robert A. Cantwell

Your missions committee reports the following activities for the 1972-73 year:

1. A contest was sponsored for designing an associational banner which was used at both Ridgecrest and Glorietta during Home Missions Weeks this past summer. The banner was designed by Miss June Cagle of Leonard's Fork Church. The second place winner was Mr. Howard Morgan of Hull's Grove Church.

2. Permission has been secured to place a mobile unit in the vicinity of the Lincolnton Housing Authority's Site Five on North Aspen Street, Lincolnton for the purpose of providing a mission ministry to the ninety-nine families who will occupy Site Five. It is hoped that a suitable mobile facility can be obtained soon.

3. Mission Funds on hand are:

October 1, 1972 Balance on Hand		$ 755.36
Receipts:		
From 1972-73 Operating Budget	$ 150.00	
From Baptist State Convention to assist with beginning ministry at Site Five	1,000.00	
Interest	43.47	
		1,193.47
September 30, 1973 Balance on Hand		$ 1,948.83

4. We recommend that the Coral Park Church which has been under the watchcare of our association for the past four years be admitted into full fellowship with this body.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE
Coy H. Dellinger

Parliamentarian	Charles Ingle
Historian	Mrs. Harmon James
Director of Library Services	Mrs. Reggie Deaton
Trustee	J. M. Sherrill, Chairman
Trustee	Bill Beard
Trustee	Charles R. Estep
Sunday School Director	Charles Ingle
Church Training Director	James F. Collette
Brotherhood Director	Donald W. Ferrell
Music Director	Kennith D. Adams

Special Assignments

American Bible Society	–	Winfred M. Turner
Annuity Board	–	Charles Mosley
Baptist Foundation	–	George DeLozier
Children's Homes	–	Loyd Spencer, Jr.
Christian Action League	–	Hartwell E. Condrey
Christian Education	–	Charles Ingle
Christian Literature	–	Paul V. McAlpin
Homes for the Aging	–	Glenn Murphy
Hospital	–	Joe D. Drum
South Mountain Camp	–	David Rhodes
Stewardship	–	James F. Collette
Foreign Missions	–	Nathan L. May
Home Missions	–	Donald W. Ferrell
State Missions	–	Ralph F. Webb, Jr.

South Mountain Camp Representatives

Robert Anthony
Bob Hawley
Frank Hoyle
Roy Houk
David Rhodes

SCHOLARSHIP COMMISSION

Three years - Miss Ellen Bridges
Mrs. Mark Hoyle
Chairman - Joe Bondurant

QUOTAS AND CONTRIBUTIONS

CHURCH	QUOTA 1972-73	CONTRIBUTIONS	SUGGESTED QUOTA 1973-74*
Amity	593.53	364.00	700.51
Antioch	1,020.36	450.00	717.15
Bethel	301.74	260.04	323.91
Boger City	972.13	1,525.00	1,325.41
Calvary	805.19	641.67	779.50
Cedar Grove	217.95	217.95	264.44
Center View	374.69	374.69	385.53
Coral Park	45.50	25.00	39.24
Craig Memorial	292.09	406.73	333.10
Crouse	160.93	160.00	173.02
David Memorial	286.21	75.00	351.38
Faith	352.85	352.88	481.37
Fellowship	211.56	407.67	259.68
Friendly Chapel	315.12	100.00	306.51
Gainsville	481.88	422.88	597.17
Howard's Creek	52.41	-0-	86.36
Hudson Chapel	178.71	175.00	185.61
Hull's Grove	474.99	550.00	512.17
Lawing's Chapel	469.79	270.00	594.14
Leonard's Fork	223.95	223.95	237.69
Lincoln Avenue	983.06	983.06	893.03

Lincolnton, First	2,278.05	1,200.00	2,292.29
Lincolnton, North	70.82	-0-	38.31
Lincolnton, West	198.15	-0-	248.82
Long Shoals	266.93	225.00	325.76
Macedonia	463.35	465.00	667.50
Maiden, East	782.02	800.00	713.56
Maiden, First	1,532.93	1,500.75	1,664.37
Massapoag	200.39	200.39	236.39
Mathis Chapel	210.19	100.00	256.94
Mt. Anderson	397.81	397.81	469.67
Mt. Ruhama	1,195.95	1,195.95	1,403.76
Mt. Zion	444.73	457.00	469.35
Mountain View	666.70	666.70	785.21
North Brook	324.24	324.24	332.10
Oak Grove	306.25	306.25	341.22
Olivet	405.41	363.00	409.76
Pearl	529.03	645.00	580.76
Piney Grove	339.05	240.00	344.40
Poole's Chapel	187.08	-0-	205.79
Reepsville	747.46	500.00	787.13
Riverview	723.12	723.12	618.10
Roseland	113.80	113.80	115.73
Salem	750.10	755.00	796.04
Sharon	257.58	100.00	296.87
Southside	850.40	800.00	857.64
Temple	112.05	112.25	120.45
Westport	177.99	100.00	325.12
Westside	370.14	-0-	407.15
	$23,716.56	$20,276.78	$25,657.11

*Based on 1¾% of receipts shown on table G, 1972 Annual.

SCHOLARSHIP COMMISSION
J. B. Jones

Balance on Hand - October 1, 1973		$2,118.45
Receipts:		
Church Contributions	$100.00	
Interest	79.71	179.71
		$2,298.16
Disbursements:		
Loan - Darrell Bost		300.00
Balance on hand - September 30, 1973		$1,998.16

SOUTH MOUNTAIN BAPTIST CAMP
T. A. Lineberger

God continues to pour out His Spirit upon our camp. Campers were made aware of His Presence, His Demand for Commitment, and to make Him known Around the World. Our program was built around the theme "MAKING CHRIST KNOWN". Campers were led in a discussion each day that helped them to know Christ or to know Him better. Mission education is a strong emphasis in our program.

Including the staff, our average attendance was 249 each week. 4,600 attended some kind of organized activity. 232 attended from your association.

1,340 made a decision for Christ. 304 were saved, 949 made rededications and 84 made commitments for full time Christian service. Everyone was challenged by missionaries, missionaries' kids, and by Joshua Chow, a Chinese member of our staff. An additional 350 made decisions through the outreach ministry of our staff. We have already conducted services in 20 churches this year.

We are indeed grateful to all of the churches who let us use their cottages. It would have been impossible for us to have reached the great numbers that we did without their help.

CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENTS: Addition to the assembly building for a store, storage space, sleeping room for the boys on the staff, enlarged parking area and built a retaining wall, built a retaining wall and sowed grass on play area near assembly, new floor and painted staff cabin, repaired and winterized Harris cottage, winterized assembly building. The missionary cottage and care taker's home is near completion and we now have bunk beds in 9 cabins.

IMMEDIATE NEEDS: Improvements of cabins and beds, single and double mattresses, picnic tables, a fireplace built in the assembly building, and A CHAPEL TO SEAT 400.

We are grateful to churches and associations who have us in their budget. Thanks to many individuals who make annual gifts to the camp. Several more churches have put us in their budget this year. Thanks to Missionary John McGee for a check for $500.00 on our Chapel Fund. We urge every church to help us to build this much needed chapel.

STEWARDSHIP

Last year 1,138 churches increased Cooperative Program giving by 10 percent or more over what they gave the previous year. Four of the associations in North Carolina had 100 percent of their churches giving through the Cooperative Program in 1972. These four associations were: Anson, Flat River, Tar River, and Yates.

Will you do four things?

1. Will you lead the church where you serve to increase Cooperative Program and associational mission giving by 10 percent more?

2. Will you have a special prayer for your missionaries and other Cooperative Program causes during each service in your church during the October Cooperative Program prayer month?

3. Will you send your check for Cooperative Program <u>each month</u> to Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, P.O. Box 26508, Raleigh, N.C. 27611?

4. Will you help us have a good <u>stewardship workshop</u> in your association next spring or summer, so we can: (1) Study recommendations for pastor and staff salary increases; (2) Get an overview of available program helps for each church in stewardship; and (3) Receive a report on where you are in <u>your goals</u> for associational and Cooperative Program giving?

SUNDAY SCHOOL
Charles H. Ingle

Let us remember that the purpose of each Sunday School in each Baptist Church is two-fold. Our primary purpose is to teach the Bible to those who attend our Sunday School's and to those whom we can reach through extension programs.

Our second purpose is to reach prospects for the church. We are to witness to those who are lost. Since more people attend Sunday School than any other organization within our church, we are to reach these people for the other organizations. We can do this by promoting the other church organizations through our Sunday Schools.

We had a one night Sunday School Revival at the First Church, Lincolnton on March 14 which was well attended. This Revival proved to be inspirational and challenging to all who attended.

We had a very fine V.B.S. Clinic at the Boger City Church on April 9, with a fine qualified faculty. There was a conference for each department. The highlight of the clinic was a special presentation on Mission V.B.S. by Mrs. Bobby Baker.

May I challenge you to use your Sunday School to teach people the Bible and to reach prospects for the church.

If we can be of help to you in your Sunday School work in any way please let us know.

TREASURER'S REPORT
Mrs. J. E. Helms

Beginning Balance - October 1, 1972			$ 826.92
Plus - Receipts:			
Church Contributions	20,276.78		
N.C. Withholding	193.20		
Annuals	669.75		
Lay Evangelism Schools	96.00		
Sales Tax Refund	102.13		21,337.86
Total Cash			$22,164.78
Less Disbursements:			
Director of Missions Salary		7,100.00	
Car Allowance		1,650.00	
Denominational Meetings		550.00	
Retirement		709.92	
Hospital Insurance		493.70	
Life Insurance		313.44	
Home Utilities		539.09	
Home Telephone		101.75	
Home Upkeep & Repair		1,500.00	
Office Supplies, Postage		999.85	
Office Rent		420.00	
Office Utilities		199.62	
Office Telephone		222.58	
Office Secretary		2,000.00	
Christmas Bonuses		175.00	
Insurance		134.00	
Clerk		200.00	
Treasurer		200.00	
Annual Meeting		94.72	
Social Security		514.15	
Sunday School		50.26	
Church Training		68.28	
WMU		340.39	
Audio-Visual Aids		34.54	
Evangelism Committee		37.44	
Missions Committee		150.00	
Miscellaneous		98.35	
N.C. Withholding		193.20	
Annuals		812.20	
Lay Evangelism Schools		95.86	19,998.34
Balance on hand - September 30, 1973			$ 2,166.44
Summary of Cash: Budget	2,308.89		
Annuals	(142.45)		
			$ 2,166.44

TRUSTEES REPORT
J. M. Sherrill

The Association has $20,000.00 replacement value insurance on the home, $6,000.00 on contents and 5 and 10 thousands dollars liability.

Assets:	
Value of home	$18,000.00
Office equipment	1,381.00
Cash - Checking Account	2,166.44
Savings Account	1,948.83
Total Assets	$23,496.27
Liabilities:	
None	
Net Resources	$23,496.27

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION
Mrs. J. E. Helms

1972-73 has been a good year for the Woman's Missionary Union of the South Fork Baptist Association which is composed of five organizations. There has been some new organizations within the local churches started for the first time and some have added new organizations and we give God the glory for this. We still have 10 churches with no organizations at all and we ask that you pray that this will be the year they will at least elect a WMU Director to emphasize missions in their local churches.

The Theme for 1973-74 is "Sharing Christ Through His Word". Special emphasis is on "Mission Support" - praying, giving, going. Therefore we challenge every church to begin working harder that this emphasis may help us at home and abroad to take a great big GIANT STEP for our Lord.

Your WMU officers for 1973-74 are:

Mrs. J. E. Helms, Director
Mrs. Earl Armstrong, Assistant Director
Mrs. Lander Heafner, Jr., Secretary and Treasurer
Mrs. Leonard Wright, Baptist Women Director
Mrs. Theron Price, Assistant Baptist Women Director
Mrs. Jim Warlick, Baptist Young Women Director
Mrs. Ken Clark, Assistant Baptist Young Women Director
Mrs. Charles Schronce, Acteen Director
Mrs. Neal Alexander, Assistant Acteen Director
Mrs. Ronald Reel, G.A. Director
Mrs. Terry Michael, Assistant GA Director
Mrs. Lester Carter, Mission Friends Director
Mrs. Stanley Lanier, Assistant MF Director

IN MEMORIAM

AMITY
Mr. John Miller

ANTIOCH
Mrs. Rose Deaton

BOGER CITY
Mrs. Gertie Garrison Boggs
Mr. Jack Houser
Mr. Jerry Glenn Wentz

CALVARY
Mr. Rex Daniel Elmore
Mrs. Virginia Lineberger
Mrs. Susie B. Milburn
Mr. Scottie Joe Sisk

CENTER VIEW
Mrs. J. E. Johnson

CORAL PARK
Mrs. Sarah Viola Dellinger

CRAIG MEMORIAL
Mr. Paul Jenkins

FAITH
Mrs. Etta Ballard
Mrs. Della Bradshaw

FRIENDLY CHAPEL
Mrs. Dorothy Jones
Mr. T.B. Settlemyre
Mr. Hugh Smith

GAINSVILLE
Mr. Walter Campbell
Mrs. J.C. Elmore
Mr. J.C. Elmore
Mrs. Dora Martin
Deacon C.G. Sigmon

HULL'S GROVE
Mrs. Eunice Sain[

LAWING'S CHAPEL
Mrs. Rosa Correll
Mr. Ted Dale

LINCOLN AVENUE
Mr. Preston Spake
Mr. Eloy Turner
Mr. Roy Williams

LINCOLNTON, FIRST
Mrs. Clyde L. Knight
Deacon Puett Lawing

LONG SHOALS
Mrs. Bess Johnson Beal
Mrs. Irene Carpenter
Mr. Dorcus Hedspath
Mrs. Rose Hedspath

MACEDONIA
Miss Maggie Odell Crouse
Mrs. Daisy Ewing
Mr. Lilburn Kenneth Goodson
Mrs. Maude E. Harrison
Mr. A. W. Keener

MAIDEN, FIRST
Mr. John Parker
Mrs. Irene Rooks
Mrs. Marion P. Williams

MASSAPOAG
Mr. Ernest Chester

MATHIS CHAPEL
Mr. Jethrol Burrell
Mrs. Annie D. Guin

MT. ANDERSON
Mrs. Callie Walker
Mr. Everette Wright

MT. RUHAMA
Mrs. Milton Abernethy
Mr. Leonard Bandy
Mr. Lendon A. Ervin
Mr. Wilson Keever
Mr. Clarence Punch

MOUNTAIN VIEW
Mr. Carl Maxwell Caldwell
Mrs. Ruby Mundy Hicks
Mr. Bascom Clegg Robinson
Rev. Albert Roy Waters

NORTH BROOK
Mr. Rayford Dellinger
Mr. Troy Lackey
Mr. William Carl Pruitt
Mr. Tommy Sanders
Mr. George Wehunt
Mr. Frank Workman

IN MEMORIAM

OAK GROVE
Miss Cynthia Beam

OLIVET
Mr. Ross Elliott
Mr. Marvin Fisher

PINEY GROVE
Mrs. Dorie Abernethy
Mrs. F.O. Canipe
Mrs. Carrie Lee
Mrs. Cammie Poole
Mrs. Allie Setzer
Mr. J. R. Waters, Sr.

REEPSVILLE
Mr. Glenn Bollinger
Mr. Walter Helms
Mr. Harris Moody
Mr. Fred Smith

RIVER VIEW
Miss Rutha Coffey
Miss Carrie Parker
Deacon Claude Rudisill

SALEM
Mr. J. B. Case
Mr. Samuel A. Hovis
Mrs. Josephine C. Plonk

SHARON
Rev. Belton Beal

SOUTHSIDE
Mr. Ernest Chester
Mrs. D. Walter Clark
Mr. Coon Reinhardt
Mr. James Whitesides, Sr.
Deacon Gordon Wright

TEMPLE
Mrs. Helen McDonald

WESTPORT
Mr. William Lynn Harris

HISTORICAL TABLES

Year	Place of Meeting	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher of Annual Sermon
1878	Kid's Chapel	W. A. Graham	J. H. Booth	D. W. Thomasson
1879	Hickory Grove	W. A. Graham	J. G. Hill	T. H. Pritchard
1880	Mount Ruhama	W. A. Graham	J. G. Hill	J. R. Jones
1881	Ezra Mull's Chapel	W. A. Graham	P. M. Mull	J. F. Morris
1882	Salem	W. A. Graham	P. M. Mull	J. K. Faulkner
1883	Mount Zion	J. K. Faulkner	L. A. Abernethy	J. K. Faulkner
1884	Mountain Grove	J. F. Morris	W. W. Bridges	J. F. Morris
1885	Sandy Plains	W. A. Graham	Azor Shell	J. K. Faulkner
1886	Kid's Chapel	W. A. Graham	Robert A. Keever	N. B. Cobb
1887	Macedonia	W. A. Graham	Robert A. Keever	J. F. Morris
1888	Warlick's Chapel	J. F. Morris	J. Thomas McLean	W. R. Gwaltney
1889	Olivet	W. A. Graham	J. Thomas McLean	W. A. Pool
1890	Mount Zion	W. A. Graham	S. A. Stroup	D. P. Bridges
1891	Hickory, First	W. A. Graham	J. Thomas McLean	J. A. Hoyle
1892	Olivet	W. A. Graham	A. W. Setzer	A. W. Setzer
1893	Bruington	C. M. Murchison	J. Thomas McLean	C. M. Murchison
1894	Maiden, First	C. M. Murchison	J. Thomas McLean	E. F. Jones
1895	Newton, First	C. S. Cashwell	L. A. Abernethy	E. F. Jones
1896	Gastonia, First	W. A. Graham	J. R. Lewis	C. S. Cashwell
1897	Kid's Chapel	W. A. Graham	L. A. Abernethy	D. M. Austin
1898	Penelope	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	C. H. Durham
1899	Mount Holly	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	W. R. Gwaltney
1900	Bethel	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	J. L. Vipperman
1901	Olivet	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	W. F. Watson
1902	McAdensville	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	J. W. Watson
1903	Maiden, First	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	W. F. Gwaltney
1904	Hickory, First	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	J. W. Watson
1905	Dallas	W. A. Graham	R. S. Lewis	P. H. Purnell
1906	Lincolnton, First	W. A. Graham	R. S. Lewis	W. H. Reddish
1907	Olivet	W. A. Graham	R. S. Lewis	Baylus Cade
1908	Gastonia, First	W. A. Graham	J. D. Moore	R. D. Carroll
1909	Corinth	W. A. Graham	R. L. Sigmon	J. D. Harte
1910	Mount Zion	Osborne Brown	R. L. Sigmon	A. W. Setzer
1911	Long Creek	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	R. D. Carroll
1912	Maiden, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	I. T. Newton
1913	Mount Holly	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. J. Beach
1914	Macedonia	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. C. Barrett
1915	West Hickory	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. S. Connel
1916	East Gastonia	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. D. Harte
1917	Newton, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	F. M. Huggins
1918	Belmont, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. L. Vipperman
1919	Lincolnton, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. R. Bradshaw
1920	Mountain Grove	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. W. Rimmer
1921	Lawing's Chapel	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. R. Bradshaw
1922	Riber View	J. A. Snow	J. F. Click	H. C. Whitener
1923	Catawba	J. A. Snow	J. F. Click	H. R. Freeman
1924	Penelope	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	C. M. Robinson
1925	Lincolnton, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	T. C. Singleton
1926	Macedonia	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	C. D. Barton
1927	Corinth	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. A. Ivey
1928	Mount Ruhama	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	R. G. Short
1929	Mount Zion	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	E. F. Hardin
1930	Warlick's	Osborne Brown	R. H. Harrill	C. F. Pittman
1931	Maiden, First	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	J. R. Cantrell
1932	Mountain Grove	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	M. I. Harris
1933	Olivet	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	R. K. Redwine
1934	Macedonia	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	W. W. Marr
1935	Providence	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	T. H. Roach
1936	River View	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	W. R. Bradshaw
1937	Catawba	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	E. F. Sullivan
1938	Boger City	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	C. H. Henderson

Year	Place of Meeting	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher of Annual Sermon
1939	North Newton	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	L. A. McClure
1940	Lincolnton, First	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	O. C. Ulmer
1941	Mount Ruhama	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	Y. C. Elliott
1942	Penelope	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	H. B. Jones
1943	Maiden, First	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	C. C. Holland
1944	Hickory, First	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	J. Louis Price
1945	Boger City	L. L. Hatfield	R. T. Boatwright	R. C. Shearin
1946	Highland, Newton First	L. L. Hatfield	R. T. Boatwright	R. K. Benfield
1947	Catawba, Macedonia	L. L. Hatfield	R. T. Boatwright	R. G. Mace
1948	Brown Memorial, Olivet	L. A. McClure	R. T. Boatwright	E. F. Sullivan
1949	Center View, Salem	L. A. McClure	Fritz D. Hemphill	L. R. Williams
1950	Lincoln Ave., Warlick's	L. A. McClure	Fritz D. Hemphill	Wyman E. Wood
1951	Mt. Ruhama, W. Hickory	R. K. Benfield	Fritz D. Hemphill	Ben R. Coley
1952	Gainesville, Lawing's Chapel	R. K. Benfield	Fritz D. Hemphill	Harold M. White
1953	Lincolnton, 1st, Mtn. Grove	R. K. Benfield	Fritz D. Hemphill	Victor L. Andrews
1954	Mountain View, Amity	E. F. Sullivan	Fritz D. Hemphill	Harvey Laughter
1955	Penelope, Southside	Fritz D. Hemphill	Miss Helen Cater	Fritz D. Hemphill
1956	River View, Salem	Latt Beshears	Alvin A. Walker	Woodrow D. Flynn
1957	Lincolnton, First, Reepsville	Latt Beshears	Alvin A. Walker	Linwood Peterson
1958	Boger City, Mt. Zion	Latt Beshears	Alvin A. Walker	A. R. Waters
1959	Long Shoals, E. Maiden	J. D. Hillman	Alvin A. Walker	Eddie Reynolds
1960	Lawing's Chapel, Maiden 1st	J. D. Hillman	Alvin A. Walker	Herbert Miller
1961	Lincoln Ave., Southside	Eddie Reynolds	Alvin A. Walker	Wayne Haynes
1962	Mt. Ruhama, Center View	C. H. Greene	Alvin A. Walker	Riley N. Huckaby
1963	East Maiden, Mt. Anderson	C. H. Greene	Alvin A. Walker	R. E. Hicks
1964	Olivet, Leonard's Fork	D. Harding Caldwell	Alvin A. Walker	Fred E. Thompson
1965	Mtn. View, Mt. Zion	D. Harding Caldwell	Alvin A. Walker	R. W. Morrow
1966	Gainesville, Reepsville	Richard E. Hicks	D. Harding Caldwell	Frank Taylor
1967	Lincolnton, First, Antioch	Richard E. Hicks	Robert M. Garrett	Cecil L. Ballard
1968	Salem, Hull's Grove	E. B. Elmore	Mrs. W. F. Henry	E. W. Friday
1969	Maiden, 1st, River View	E. B. Elmore	Mrs. W. F. Henry	Robert M. Garrett
1970	Mt. Ruhama, Boger City	Charles N. Cranford	Mrs. J. B. McQuere	D. Harding Caldwell
1971	Lawing's Chapel, Lincoln Ave.	Charles N. Cranford	Mrs. J. E. Helms	Earl Henry
1972	Amity, Pearl	Earl Henry	Mrs. J. E. Helms	Fred A. Carpenter
1973	East Maiden, Southside	Billy C. Beaver	Mrs. J.E. Helms	Floyd T. Kirksey

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION YEAR ENDING September 30 (Month & Day) 1973

Association: South Fork

State: North Carolina

Associational Clerk: Mrs. J. E. Helms

Address: P. O. Box 461 City: Maiden State: North Carolina Zip: 28650

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		1 County	2 Year organized as a church	3 Location (1=Rural County; 2=Village under 500 pop; 3=Town 500-2499; 4=Small City 2500-9999; 5=Americana; 6=Downtown; 7=Suburban; 8=Neighborhood; 9=Interior)	3 Services held twice on Sunday? Y	3 Services held twice on Sunday? N	11 Total Baptisms	12 Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	13 Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	14 Present resident members	15 Present nonresident members	16 Grand total present members	17 No. members received from non-Baptist Churches	18 No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	23 Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	24 Value of church property including pastor's home	25 Total church debt at end of this associational year
Amity	Winfred M. Turner, Rt. 1, Denver	28037	Lincoln	1905	1	Y		9	8	1	199	63	262	0	0	20,000	140,000	30,528
Antioch	Charles Moseley, Rt.3,Box 755, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1921	1	Y		19	17	14	215	102	317	2	0	40,000	95,000	0
Bethel	Alvin Hoyle, Rt. 5, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1895	1	Y		5	6	6	75	150	225	0	0	40,000	155,000	0
Boger City	Beeler J. Morris, P.O.Box 5032,Boger City	28092	Lincoln	1922	4	Y		17	25	9	533	73	606	2	2	40,000	335,000	29,890
Calvary	Harold L. Brown,Rt.1,Box60, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1952	2	Y		19	8	14	221	120	341	2	4	45,000	120,000	8,580
Cedar Grove	George DeLozier, Rt.2, Box 58, Maiden	28650	Catawba	1902	1	Y		5	15	11	133	24	157	0	1	20,000	52,500	3,500
Center View	Parks Harris, Rt. 2, Maiden	28650	Catawba	1915	1		N	1	5	1	243	28	271	0	0	35,000	135,000	0
Coral Park	Marshall H.Black,Rt.1, Box 57,Crouse	28033	Lincoln	1970	1	Y		0	0	1	38	0	38	0	0	0	30,000	2,757
Craig Memorial	Jas.F.Collette,Rt.1,Box 168, Stanley	28164	Gaston	1938	1	Y		0	9	5	102	92	194	0	0	30,000	100,000	8,949
Crouse	J. C. Beal, Rt. 2, Maiden	28650	Lincoln	1947	2	Y		0	0	1	46	0	48	0	0	0	30,000	0
David Memorial	Loyd Spencer, Rt. 6, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1952	1	Y		15	6	7	125	32	157	0	1	0	100,000	32,000
Faith	Charles Ingle, Rt.2, Box 387,Iron Station	28080	Lincoln	1905	1	Y		14	31	10	208	44	252	3	2	15,000	100,000	75,953
Fellowship	Joe D. Drum, Rt. 1, Box 264, Denver	28037	Lincoln	1965	1	Y		9	61	6	213	5	218	1	0	0	75,000	65,000
Friendly Chapel	Edwin Sherrill, Rt.1, Box 200 A,Maiden	28650	Lincoln	1948	1	Y		0	2	9	132	22	154	0	2	12,000	92,000	0
Gainsville	Hartwell E. Condrey, Rt. 1, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1922	1	Y		7	10	11	236	0	236	2	0	15,000	102,000	0
Howard's Creek	Frank Grigg, 502 W.2nd,Cherryville	28021	Lincoln	1951	1		N	2	0	0	51	0	51	0	0	0	14,000	0
Hudson Chapel	Paul U.McAlpin, Rt.2, Box 14, Catawba	28609	Catawba	1942	1	Y		0	0	4	90	2	92	0	0	20,000	105,000	2,004
Hull's Grove	Cecil L. Ballard, Rt. 2, Vale	28168	Lincoln	1897	1	Y		5	2	4	294	55	349	0	0	20,000	60,000	0
Lawing's Chapel	Foyd Bennett, Rt.2, Box 360, Maiden	28650	Catawba	1907	1		N	2	0	7	241	34	275	0	0	32,000	125,000	0
Leonard's Fork	William Justice, Rt. 1, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1873	1	Y		1	1	4	165	5	170	0	2	30,000	125,000	0
Lincoln Avenue	Albert C. Helms, P.O. Box 441, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1910	4	Y		3	9	22	350	26	376	0	3	49,500	269,000	17,227
Lincolnton, First	Robert A. Cantwell, P. O. Box714,Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1859	4	Y		12	26	27	563	186	749	0	7	40,000	560,000	0
Lincolnton, North	A. L. Whitesides, P. O. Box 141,Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1951	2	Y		9	0	0	30	0	30	0	0	0	14,000	7,000
Lincolnton, West	Leon Davis, Rt. 1, Box 527, Iron Station	28080	Lincoln	1954	1	Y		8	8	10	103	0	103	1	0	0	40,000	0
Long Shoals	Grady Bumgarner,Rt.4, Box 514,Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1901	2	Y		19	8	21	211	10	221	0	0	32,100	137,000	4,431

Macedonia	Carl E. Helms, Sr., Rt.3, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1834	1	Y		0	4	3	283	53	336	0	0	45,000	125,000	0
Maiden - East	Melvin D. Rabb, Box 386, Maiden	28650	Catawba	1927	3	Y		16	12	3	435	65	500	8	0	20,000	220,000	0
Maiden - First	Billy C. Beaver, Box 338, Maiden	28650	Catawba	1891	4	Y		11	22	10	694	127	821	0	0	30,000	500,000	26,368
Massapoag	Floyd T. Kirksey, Rt.6,Box 525, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1952	2	Y		8	1	2	134	6	140	0	0	30,000	85,000	25,493
Mathis Chapel	Bruce Mathis,111 Charlotte Rd.,Lincolnton	28092	Catawba	1951	1	Y		5	2	7	129	15	144	0	0	0	30,000	0
Mount Anderson	Fred A. Carpenter, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	Catawba	1953	1	Y		15	5	6	282	10	292	0	0	50,000	151,000	21,400
Mount Ruhama	Donald W. Ferrell, Rt.2, Newton	28658	Catawba	1816	1	Y		17	16	17	551	66	617	8	6	36,000	325,000	0
Mount Zion	Don L. Ballenger, Box 330, Alexis	28006	Lincoln	1869	1	Y		9	8	3	169	17	186	0	1	18,000	82,000	0
Mountain View	D. Harding Caldwell,Rt.1,Box 216A,Maiden	28650	Catawba	1854	1	Y		7	9	10	275	39	314	5	0	35,000	175,000	0
North Brook	Coy H. Dellinger, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	Lincoln	1913	1	Y		6	3	14	177	94	271	0	3	25,000	100,000	0
Oak Grove			Lincoln	1971	1	Y		6	7	15	198	0	198	0	0	25,000	55,000	6,370
Olivet	Billy Hoffman, Box 5C, Long Island	28648	Catawba	1833	1		N	1	2	6	247	38	285	0	0	20,000	165,000	5,000
Pearl	Glenn Murphy, Rt.1, Box 7A, Iron Station	28080	Lincoln	1944	2	Y		13	16	14	327	49	376	0	0	35,000	125,000	23,156
Piney Grove			Catawba	1904	1		N	5	7	19	148	48	196	0	0	35,000	206,000	4,429
Poole's Chapel																		
Reepsville	Ralph Webb, Jr., Rt.1, Vale	28168	Lincoln	1888	1	Y		10	9	13	313	19	332	0	2	32,000	196,000	0
River View	Nathan L. May, Rt.6, Box 241, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1897	1	Y		8	16	8	285	35	320	1	2	24,000	198,000	28,534
Roseland	J. W. Crouse, Rt.6, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1945	2	Y		6	3	1	48	63	111	0	0		25,000	19,138
Salem	Charles N. Cranford, P.O.Box 676,Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1849	1	Y		18	20	8	384	100	484	1	0	0	172,000	68,423
Sharon			Lincoln	1884	1		N	2	3	2	101	30	131	1	0	14,000	100,000	14,478
Southside			Lincoln	1925	1	Y		2	7	12	237	135	372	0	0	15,000	269,577	12,586
Temple	Jack Chandler, Rt.1, Catawba	28609	Lincoln	1942	2	Y		5	2	5	66	0	66	0	0	0	20,600	2,293
Westport	Guy P. Helms, Rt.2,Box S237, Denver	28037	Lincoln	1966	1	Y		35	39	5	195	20	215	2	0	0	150,000	49,800
Westside																		
TOTAL								386	470	388	10497	2102	12599	39	38	1,024,600	6,605,677	595,287

TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL — YEAR ENDING September 30, 1973 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork
State: North Carolina
Associational Sunday School Director: Charles Ingle
Address: Route 2, Box 387, Iron Station — City: Iron Station — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28080

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		47 Preschool enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	48 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	49 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	50 Young Adult enrolment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	51 Adult enrolment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	52 Senior Adult enrolment (60 and over or retirement and over)	53 Adults Away enrolment	54 Homebound Units enrolment	55 General officers enrolment	56 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	57 Total ongoing Sunday School enrolment	58 Average weekly Sunday School attendance	59 Number of Bible Study Fellowship classes	60 Bible Study Fellowship enrolment	61 January Bible Study enrolment	62 Weekday Bible Study enrolment	63 Bus attendance	64 Church V B S enrolment	65 Mission V B S. enrolment	66 Total V B S. enrolment
Amity	Thomas Reel,Rt.2, Box 437, Iron Station	28080	22	29	52	19	38	25	0	0	2	0	187	160	0	0	25	0	0	96	0	96
Antioch	Ralph Laney, Rt. 5, Lincolnton	28092	29	30	10	19	78	18	0	0	5	0	189	127	0	0	88	0	0	91	0	91
Bethel	Tommy McSwain, Rt. 2, Lincolnton	28092	13	10	16	14	34	10	0	5	5	0	107	70	0	0	0	0	0	67	0	67
Boger City	Julius M. Sherrill,203 Buffalo Shoals Rd.,Lincolnton	28092	57	75	69	14	195	68	0	0	5	0	483	259	0	0	70	0	0	211	34	245
Calvary	Fred Hawkins, Sr.,Box 1338, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	45	98	47	36	35	10	3	8	6	0	288	174	0	0	60	0	50	165	0	165
Cedar Grove	Charles Withers, Rt.2, Box 52, Maiden	28650	10	8	14	24	14	15	0	0	5	0	90	52	0	0	42	0	0	60	0	60
Center View	J. B. Jones, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	5	26	25	18	50	35	0	0	3	0	162	127	0	0	0	0	0	67	0	67
Coral Park	David Spivey, Rt. 5, Lincolnton	28092	5	6	15	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	33	0	0	0	0	0	72	0	72
Craig Memorial	Larry Fisher, Rt. 1, Stanley	28164	13	29	13	7	35	8	0	0	2	0	107	80	0	0	42	0	0	79	0	79
Crouse	Randy Gantt, Rt. 6, Lincolnton	28092	2	16	6	7	18	0	0	0	3	0	52	40	0	0	0	0	0	48	0	48
David Memorial	Marwin Noles, Rt. 5, Lincolnton	28092	22	36	16	14	20	6	1	2	3	0	120	88	0	0	0	0	0	92	0	92
Faith	Charlie Helton, Rt.1,Box 470-D, Stanley	28164	28	41	35	12	64	25	0	0	5	0	210	135	0	0	62	0	0	97	0	97
Fellowship	Harold Pruitt, P.O.Box 658, Stanley	28164	14	44	24	15	47	0	0	3	3	0	150	110	1	5	0	0	40	136	0	136
Friendly Chapel	Darris Turbyfill, Rt.1,Box 211, Maiden	28650	21	14	11	31	40	8	0	0	0	0	125	85	0	0	0	0	0	52	0	52
Gainsville	Jerry Peeler, Rt. 1, Lincolnton	28092	47	35	52	52	73	28	2	5	6	0	300	130	0	0	0	0	0	106	0	106
Howard's Creek	Marshall G. Gilbert,Rt.1,Box 432,Lincolnton	28092	0	12	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	32	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel	Kenneth Bailey,Rt.2, Box32A, Catawba	28609	5	11	17	12	30	7	0	0	0	0	82	65	0	0	0	0	0	55	0	55
Hull's Grove	E. Z. Willis, Rt. 1, Cherryville	28021	43	46	45	7	126	0	0	0	2	0	269	147	0	0	30	0	0	121	0	121
Lawing's Chapel	Paul Hilton, Rt. 2, Maiden	28650	37	34	45	13	49	23	0	0	0	0	258	142	0	0	25	0	0	118	0	118
Leonard's Fork	Jerry Elmore, Rt. 2, Vale	28168	17	15	8	12	33	5	0	0	0	0	96	68	0	0	0	0	0	47	0	47
Lincoln Avenue	James C. Wise, Rt.2,Box 32-A, Vale	28168	44	46	36	30	45	35	0	0	4	0	240	153	18	18	40	0	0	92	0	92
Lincolnton,First	Stanley Z. Pollack,624 W.Park Dr.,Lincolnton	28092	57	82	75	36	181	52	30	12	4	0	523	299	2	20	0	0	0	134	0	134
Lincolnton, North			0	0	7	2	12	9	0	0	9	0	39	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, West	Morris Cormwell,Rt.6,Box311, Lincolnton	28092	15	37	17	22	10	1	0	0	0	0	102	106	0	0	0	0	65	102	0	102
Long Shoals	Steve Poovey,Rt.4,Box 311, Lincolnton	28092	29	7	52	16	32	25	0	0	3	0	164	108	0	0	0	0	0	89	0	89

Macedonia	Dewey Crouse, Jr.,Rt.3, Box 592, Lincolnton	28092	28	55	61	18	88	33	0	0	6	0	289	166	0	0	0	0	0	97	0	97
Maiden - East	Cecil Parker, 910 Boyd St., Maiden	28650	69	84	21	20	163	36	0	0	7	0	400	258	0	0	0	0	45	202	0	202
Maiden - First	B. Kermit Caldwell,404 N. Main, Maiden	28650	44	82	62	45	174	41	0	0	8	0	456	255	0	0	0	0	12	139	28	167
Massapoag	John Clark, 210 Little St., Lincolnton	28092	9	22	14	17	39	6	0	0	3	0	110	60	0	0	25	0	0	89	0	89
Mathis Chapel	Mitchell Joyner, Rt.2, Catawba	28609	14	16	6	20	30	13	0	0	0	0	99	68	0	0	0	0	0	98	0	98
Mount Anderson	J. C. Jones, Rt.2, Maiden	28650	61	50	37	27	64	21	0	5	3	0	268	189	0	0	35	0	0	159	0	159
Mount Ruhama	Billy B. Beard, Rt.2, Newton	28658	77	53	71	76	180	53	0	0	3	0	513	364	0	0	150	0	0	130	0	130
Mount Zion	Harry H. Murphy,1702 Hwy.275, Stanley	28164	38	25	31	33	36	16	0	0	2	0	181	118	0	0	0	0	0	69	0	69
Mountain View	Carrol E. Goodson, Rt.1, Denver	28037	42	44	42	47	92	34	0	22	2	0	325	217	0	0	100	0	0	120	0	120
North Brook	Robert Bess, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	12	22	25	6	34	26	4	0	3	0	132	80	0	0	38	0	0	56	0	56
Oak Grove	Lester Martin, Rt. 2, Lincolnton	28092	23	26	17	6	75	0	0	0	2	0	149	82	0	0	0	0	0	56	0	56
Olivet	Basil Thomas, Rt.2, Catawba	28609	9	23	31	66	44	25	0	0	9	13	220	130	0	0	0	0	0	59	0	59
Pearl	Harvey Dellinger, Rt.1,Box 269, Alexis	28006	36	37	49	26	64	10	0	0	2	0	224	151	0	0	96	0	0	125	0	125
Piney Grove	Daniel R. Ballard, Rt.2, Newton	28658	14	20	26	28	30	19	0	0	3	0	140	95	0	0	35	0	0	76	0	76
Poole's Chapel																						
Reepsville	Freddie Seagle, Rt.1, Vale	28168	31	72	53	17	93	23	0	6	6	0	301	183	0	0	36	0	25	208	0	208
River View	S.T. Lattimore, 410 Buffalo Shoals Rd.,Lincolnton	28092	32	23	24	26	51	30	0	10	10	0	206	153	0	0	67	0	0	88	0	88
Roseland	Reynard Johnson,Rt.3, Box 380, Lincolnton	28092	23	6	18	14	35	0	0	0	3	0	99	40	0	0	0	0	0	45	0	45
Salem	Jim Plonk, Rt.2, Box 310 Dallas	28034	61	74	57	0	141	0	18	0	6	0	357	203	0	0	27	0	34	239	0	239
Sharon	Robert Hovis, Rt.3, Lincolnton	28092	12	20	17	14	34	13	0	0	2	0	112	75	0	0	0	0	0	55	0	55
Southside	Roney Sides, Rt.4, Box 158, Lincolnton	28092	27	42	33	28	80	30	0	4	5	0	249	140	0	0	0	0	0	103	0	103
Temple	Denver Bailey, 2111 E. Main St., Lincolnton	28092	5	5	15	5	19	3	0	0	0	0	52	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport	Ed Hearne, Rt.1,Box 349-A., Denver	28037	24	43	17	31	56	4	0	0	4	0	179	91	1	15	35	0	0	142	0	142
Westside																						
TOTAL			1271	1631	1434	1073	2901	849	58	82	164	13	9476	5971	22	58	1128	0	271	4552	62	4614

TABLE C TRAINING UNION — YEAR ENDING September 30, 1973 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork
State: North Carolina
Associational Training Union Director: James F. Collette
Address: Route 1, Box 168 — City: Stanley — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28164

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	67 Preschool enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	68 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	69 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	70 Young Adult enrolment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	71 Adult enrolment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	72 Senior Adult enrolment (60 and over or retirement and over)	73 General officers enrolment	74 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	75 Total Training Union ongoing enrolment	76 Average weekly Church Training attendance	77 New Member Orientation: Registration	78 New Member Orientation: Completed	79 Church Leader Training: Registration	80 Church Leader Training: Completed	81 Church Leader Training: Projects	82 Member Training Projects: Registration	83 Member Training Projects: Completed
Amity	Willie Josey, Rt. 1, Maiden 28650	17	29	19	0	31	4	2	0	102	82	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Antioch	Charles Harkey, Rt. 1, Denver 28037	6	14	11	15	23	7	3	0	79	52	47	31	0	0	0	0	0
Bethel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boger City	Wm. M. Reel, 201 Hubbard St.,Lincolnton 28092	5	10	18	0	14	0	4	0	51	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Calvary	Mrs. Marshall Sisk,325 N.Academy St.,Lincolnton 28092	27	36	21	10	22	4	3	0	123	99	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cedar Grove	Ross Williams, P.O. Box 398, Maiden 28650	3	6	10	9	20	13	3	0	64	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Center View	Wade Crouse, Rt. 2, Newton 28658	5	4	6	13	23	9	2	0	62	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coral Park	Roger Helms, Rt. 1, Newton 28658	3	3	9	6	0	0	0	0	21	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Craig Memorial		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Crouse		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
David Memorial	Ted Taylor, Rt. 5, Lincolnton 28092	13	14	17	14	14	0	3	0	75	41	24	0	0	0	0	0	0
Faith	Dale Ritchie, Rt.1, Box 471-H, Stanley 28164	11	40	21	14	32	0	4	0	122	62	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fellowship		6	16	10	19	12	0	3	0	66	31	0	0	0	0	0	12	12
Friendly Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gainsville	Mrs. Kenneth Johnson, Rt. 2, Lincolnton 28092	4	8	12	10	20	0	3	0	57	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Howard's Creek		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hull's Grove	Tommy Richardson, Rt. 2, Vale 28168	14	15	16	7	31	3	2	0	88	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lawing's Chapel	Douglas Felts, Rt.2,Box 282 A, Maiden 28650	3	6	9	8	23	0	2	0	51	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leonard's Fork	James Elmore, Rt. 2, Vale 28168	2	12	1	9	11	4	1	0	40	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincoln Avenue	Bill Woodruff, Rt.1,Box 164-A-5, Maiden 28650	10	15	20	15	11	0	4	18	93	49	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, First	Joe Bondurant, 115 Wendover Dr., Lincolnton 28092	16	50	53	0	25	7	3	0	154	55	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, North		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, West		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Long Shoals	Leonard Hoffman, Rt.7,Box 1077, Lincolnton 28092	7	5	25	0	15	8	2	0	62	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Macedonia	Darrell W. Beidleman, Rt.3, Box 591,Lincolnton	28092	11	22	10	11	20	0	1	0	75	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maiden - East	Miss Margaret Parker, Rt.2, Box 135, Maiden	28650	11	28	13	13	22	12	3	0	102	58	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maiden - First	Ronnie Finger,Rt.2, Box 11 B, Maiden	28650	18	26	28	12	17	0	5	0	106	68	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Massapoag	Hubert Lambert,Sr.,Rt.1,Box 634,Iron Station	28080	8	7	13	15	0	10	2	0	55	24	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mathis Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Anderson	Jenel Smyre, Rt.2, Newton	28658	25	24	21	19	27	13	2	0	131	71	0	0	0	0	0	39	35
Mount Ruhama	Neil Setzer, Rt.2, Newton	28658	25	10	38	24	35	28	2	0	162	109	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Zion	Calvin Rumfelt, Box 622, Alexis	28006	11	18	9	14	12	0	1	0	65	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mountain View	Miss Rita Gail Hicks, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	19	24	28	10	37	10	4	0	132	79	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Brook	Mrs. Odell Wilcox, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	9	14	12	0	20	0	3	0	58	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oak Grove	Mrs. Mills Greene, Rt.2, Lincolnton	28092	4	5	8	3	23	0	1	0	44	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Olivet			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pearl	Lester Ballard, Rt.1, Iron Station	28080	19	22	28	10	26	0	2	0	107	71	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Piney Grove			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Poole's Chapel																			
Reepsville	Buford Bumgarner, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	20	43	31	11	44	20	4	0	173	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
River View	Parris Fisher, 404 Oak Grove Dr.,Cherryville	28021	12	8	16	10	13	0	3	0	62	42	0	0	30	30	0	0	0
Roseland			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salem	Fred Dellinger, Rt. 7, Box 603, Lincolnton	28092	12	11	19	0	17	0	2	0	61	33	12	12	0	0	0	0	0
Sharon			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southside	Earl Armstrong, Rt.7, Box 10, Lincolnton	28092	11	24	24	18	28	0	5	0	110	56	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Temple			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport	Mrs. Bill Sizemore, Rt.2, Denver	28037	6	14	10	11	23	0	4	0	68	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westside																			
TOTAL			373	583	586	330	691	152	88	18	2821	1654	91	43	30	30	0	51	47

TABLE D CHURCH MUSIC — YEAR ENDING September 30 1973 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork

State: North Carolina

Associational Music Director: Kennith D. Adams

Address: Box 338 — City: Maiden — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28650

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		84 Preschool enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	85 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	86 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	87 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	88 Handbell ringers enrolment	89 Vocal ensemble enrolment	90 Instrumental ensembles enrolment	91 General officers enrolment	92 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	93 Total ongoing church music enrolment	94 Average ...ly church music attendance	95 Church music study group enrolment
Amity	Mrs. Ray Ballard, Rt.2, Box 463, Iron Station	28080	0	15	20	25	0	0	0	2	0	62	41	0
Antioch	Milton Sigmon, Rt. 1, Iron Station	28080	0	14	6	23	0	0	0	0	0	43	43	0
Bethel	Miss Judy Mull, 105-A Catawba Heights, Lincolnton	28092	0	4	3	20	0	0	0	1	0	28	24	0
Boger City	Mrs. Wm. R. Walters, Rt. 1, Denver	28037	8	37	15	30	0	1	0	9	0	100	80	0
Calvary	Douglas Ledford, Rt. 1, Crouse	28033	0	80	0	25	0	0	0	3	0	108	75	0
Cedar Grove	Bob Martin, Rt. 2, Box 44, Maiden	28650	3	7	9	15	0	0	0	4	0	38	30	0
Center View	Preston Turbyfill, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	0	10	17	30	0	0	0	4	0	61	52	0
Coral Park	Mrs. Jean S pivey, 900 N.Flint St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	1	0	8	0	0
Craig Memorial	K. Roger Fisher, Rt.1, Box 196, Stanley	28164	0	0	25	25	0	0	0	2	0	52	52	0
Crouse	James B. Blackburn, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
David Memorial	Mrs. Wyonie McCarter,Rt.5,Janice Rd., Lincolnton	28092	8	0	0	15	0	3	0	2	0	28	14	0
Faith	Jerry York, Rt. 1, Stanley	28164	0	10	19	20	0	3	1	6	0	59	40	0
Fellowship	Marvin Mauney, Lafayette St., Stanley	28164	0	25	15	24	0	0	0	2	0	66	12	0
Friendly Chapel	Vance Lawing, Rt. 1, Maiden	28650	0	2	6	22	0	0	0	0	0	30	28	0
Gainsville	Miss Libby Baxter, G.W.C., Box 52, Boiling S prings	28017	0	12	20	25	0	0	0	2	0	59	37	0
Howard's Creek	Jack Kale, Rt. 1, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel	Wm. S. Leatherman, Rt. 2, Box 35, Catawba	28609	0	0	12	16	0	0	0	3	0	31	22	0
Hull's Grove	Mrs. Donald Sain, Rt. 2, Vale	28168	6	12	14	20	0	0	0	0	0	52	20	0
Lawing's Chapel	Johnnie Shubert, Rt. 2, Box 220, Newton	28658	0	8	15	20	0	0	0	3	0	46	38	0
Leonard's Fork			0	5	2	10	0	0	0	5	0	22	17	0
Lincoln Avenue	Robert M. Garrett, Jr., Rt. 1, Box 156-A, Crouse	28033	0	8	12	30	0	0	0	1	0	51	38	0
Lincolnton, First	Mrs. Robert A. Cantwell, P. O. Box 714, Lincolnton	28092	15	77	49	36	12	14	0	9	46	258	200	0
Lincolnton, North	Mrs. James Hoyle, Rt. 4, Box 34, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, West	Mrs. Tracy Williams, 511 N. High St., Lincolnton	28092	0	15	10	15	0	5	0	2	0	47	47	0
Long Shoals	Bill Christopher, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	0	15	10	25	0	4	3	2	0	59	45	0

Macedonia	Miss Ellen Bridges, P.O. Box 692, Maiden	28650	10	10	15	25	0	0	0	3	0	63	43	0
Maiden - East	Harold S. Caldwell, Rt.2, Maiden	28650	0	35	0	30	0	0	0	0	0	65	45	0
Maiden - First	Kennith D. Adams, Rt.2, Box 209 A, Maiden	28650	9	52	20	36	0	12	0	8	0	137	98	0
Massapoag	Mrs. Carrie B. Clark, 210 Little St., Lincolnton	28092	0	6	7	12	0	2	1	2	0	30	18	0
Mathis Chapel	Jimmy Clawson, Rt.2, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Anderson			0	0	16	25	0	0	2	2	0	45	50	0
Mount Ruhama	Ray Von Caldwell, Rt.2, Newton	28658	0	0	35	35	0	0	0	3	0	73	30	0
Mount Zion	Mrs. Mary H. Hovis,	28006	0	0	16	18	0	0	0	2	0	36	28	0
Mountain View	Emmett Turbyfill, Rt.2, Maiden	28650	0	10	15	30	0	0	0	0	0	55	25	0
North Brook	Kenneth Haynes, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	0	4	11	15	0	0	0	3	0	33	25	0
Oak Grove	Clinton Leatherman, Rt. 5, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	22	0	0	0	0	0	22	18	0
Olivet	Hugh Welborne, Rt.3,Box 14 A, Hamptonville	27020	0	0	14	20	0	0	0	3	0	37	20	0
Pearl	Terrell Robinson, Rt.2, Box 112, Maiden	28650	0	4	17	40	0	0	0	4	0	65	45	0
Piney Grove	Daniel R. Ballard, Rt.2, Newton	28658	0	0	0	22	0	0	0	0	0	22	18	0
Poole's Chapel														
Reepsville	Gerald Pendleton, 302 Little St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	10	20	0	2	0	1	0	33	25	15
River View	Stirl Dysart, Rt. 6, Box 86, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	12	22	0	0	0	0	0	34	30	0
Roseland	G. P. Green, Box 5141, Lincolnton	28092	0	1	7	19	0	4	0	3	0	34	30	0
Salem	Arthur McGinnis, Rt.1, Stanley	28164	0	0	18	30	0	0	0	0	0	48	35	0
Sharon	W. E. Beal, Rt.3, Lincolnton	28092	1	6	10	16	0	0	0	3	0	36	30	0
Southside	Mrs. Kenneth Hoyle, Rt.6, Box 448, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	30	0	0	0	3	0	33	12	0
Temple	Mrs. Marie Burgess, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	3	12	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0
Westport	W. H. Redmon, Rt.1, Box 370-58, Denver	28037	0	22	16	26	0	0	0	0	0	64	35	0
Westside														
TOTAL			60	506	528	976	12	50	7	103	46	2288	1615	0

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION — YEAR ENDING September 30, 1973 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork

State: North Carolina

Associational WMU Director: Mrs. J. E. Helms

Address: Route 1, Box 420 — City: Lincolnton — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28092

CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110
			Number of Organizations							Enrolment							
			Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	Girls in Action (8-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	Mission(s) of church	Total number of organizations	Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	Girls in Action (8-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S graduation to 29 years)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church	Total WMU ongoing enrolment
Amity	Mrs. David Crouse, Rt. 1, Box 260, Denver	28037	1	2	1	0	1	0	5	11	22	10	0	33	8	0	86
Antioch	Mrs. Ruth Beal, Rt. 5, Lincolnton	28092	1	0	1	1	1	0	4	11	0	6	9	13	7	0	48
Bethel	Mrs. Alvin Hoyle, Rt. 5, Lincolnton	28092	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	8	6	0	0	10	6	0	30
Boger City	Mrs. Laura Grice, 403 Green St., Lincolnton	28092	1	3	1	0	1	0	6	17	34	8	0	63	3	0	125
Calvary	Mrs. Roy Houk, Box 33, Rt. 7, Lincolnton	28092	1	3	1	0	1	0	6	10	25	18	0	24	5	0	82
Cedar Grove	Mrs. Arnold Mills, Rt. 2, Box 61, Maiden	28650	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	13	0	0	8	1	0	22
Center View	Mrs. Nancy Munday, Rt. 2, Newton	28658	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	19	1	0	20
Coral Park			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Craig Memorial	Mrs. James Merck, Rt. 1, Stanley	28164	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	6	5	9	0	9	1	0	30
Crouse	Mrs. Mae Carpenter, Rt. 6, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	6
David Memorial	Mrs. Joyce Roberts, 102 Lake St., Lincolnton	28092	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	0	7	5	9	6	8	0	35
Faith	Mrs. Ethel Helton, Rt.1, Box 189, Mt. Holly	28120	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	6	13	12	4	16	4	0	55
Fellowship	Mrs. James Cody, Rt. 1, Iron Station	28080	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	5	11	6	0	17	7	0	46
Friendly Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gainsville	Mrs. Sam Davis, Rt. 1, Crouse	28033	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	9	11	8	10	6	7	0	51
Howard's Creek			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hull's Grove	Mrs. Clara Nell Brendle, Rt. 2, Vale	28168	1	1	1	0	1	4	8	8	13	12	0	20	0	53	106
Lawing's Chapel	Mrs. Douglas Felts, Rt.2, Box 282-A, Maiden	28650	0	1	3	1	1	0	6	0	11	22	11	15	1	0	60
Leonard's Fork	Mrs. Vance Heavner, Rt. 1, Crouse	28033	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	13	8	0	0	9	0	0	30
Lincoln Avenue	Mrs. Theron W. Price, Rt. 7, Box 992, Lincolnton	28092	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	8	5	8	10	20	5	0	56
Lincolnton, First	Mrs. Leary Reid, 402 E. McBee St., Lincolnton	28092	3	2	1	0	9	1	16	18	20	14	0	105	7	12	176
Lincolnton, North			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, West			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Long Shoals	Mrs. Jane Poovey, Rt. 4, Box 311, Lincolnton	28092	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	8	25	8	5	16	4	0	66

Macedonia	Mrs. Richard Keever, Rt.3, Box 590, Lincolnton	28092	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	7	13	11	0	7	0	0	38
Maiden - East	Mrs. L. R. Williams, 1004 E. Main St., Maiden	28650	1	2	2	0	1	0	6	20	22	10	0	30	4	0	86
Maiden - First	Mrs. Reba Williams, 912 Union St., Maiden	28650	2	2	2	0	1	0	7	15	21	11	0	50	4	0	101
Massapoax	Mrs. Margaret Clark, 212 Highland Dr., Lincolnton	28092	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	5	4	0	6	3	0	18
Mathis Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Anderson	Mrs. Woodrow Isenhower, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	6	12	12	5	31	20	0	86
Mount Ruhama	Mrs. Leonard Wright, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	3	2	3	1	1	0	10	20	8	22	5	45	7	0	107
Mount Zion	Mrs. Janice Finchum, Rt.1, Alexis	28006	1	1	0	1	0	0	3	6	5	0	0	18	1	0	30
Mountain View	Mrs. D.Harding Caldwell, Rt.1, Box 216 A., Maiden	28650	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	12	11	10	0	30	4	0	67
North Brook	Mrs. Harry Arthur, Sr., Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	6	5	4	8	10	2	0	35
Oak Grove			1	1	1	0	1	0	4	6	6	4	0	12	2	0	30
Olivet	Mrs. Jerome Eads, Rt.2, Catawba	28609	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	10	7	15	0	28	0	0	60
Pearl	Mrs. Weaver Cagle, 311 Green St., Lincolnton	28092	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	9	14	10	0	15	4	0	52
Piney Grove	Mrs. Harold Killian, Rt.1, Catawba	28609	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	2	11	4	0	20	4	0	41
Poole's Chapel																	
Reepsville	Mrs. Jim Warlick, Rt.1, Vale	28168	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	14	10	22	14	40	6	0	106
River View	Mrs. Kathleen Cooke, Rt.6, Box 273, Lincolnton	28092	2	1	1	0	1	0	5	12	12	5	0	24	4	0	57
Roseland	Mrs. C. E. Gantt, 816 S. Cedar St., Lincolnton	28092															
Salem	Mrs. J. E. Lockman, Rt.7, Box 295, Lincolnton	28092	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	6	18	20	13	31	4	0	92
Sharon	Mrs. G. D. Sain, Rt.1, Iron Station	28080	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	6	0	9	2	0	17
Southside	Mrs. Earl Armstrong, Rt.7, Box 10, Lincolnton	28092	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	5	15	5	0	22	5	0	52
Temple			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport	Mrs. Benny Craig, Rt.2, Denver	28037	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	16	10	0	12	4	0	42
Westside																	
TOTAL			37	43	38	11	45	5	179	294	440	331	103	858	156	65	2247

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD — YEAR ENDING September 30 1973 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork

State: North Carolina

Associational Brotherhood Director: Donald W. Ferrell

Address: Route 2 — City: Newton — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28658

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		111 Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	112 Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	113 RA leader and committee	114 Baptist Young Men enrolment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	115 Baptist Men enrolment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	116 Baptist Senior Men (60 and over or retirement and over)	117 Other Baptist men groups	118 Brotherhood director	119 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	120 Total ongoing Brotherhood enrolment
Amity	Max Lanier, Rt. 2, Maiden	28650	14	6	7	0	20	0	0	1	0	48
Antioch	William Jones, Rt. 1, Iron Station	28080	15	0	4	0	23	0	0	1	0	43
Bethel			4	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Boger City	Charlie B. Saunders, Rt.1, Iron Station	28080	26	15	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	44
Calvary			15	0	2	0	24	0	0	0	0	41
Cedar Grove			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Center View			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coral Park			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Craig Memorial	Gary R. McGinnis, Rt.1, Box 197-B, Stanley	28164	8	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Crouse			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
David Memorial	Barry Spencer, P. O. Box 1225, Lincolnton	28092	5	5	2	4	6	0	0	2	0	24
Faith	Ben Helton, Rt. 1, Stanley	28164	8	4	4	0	10	0	0	0	0	26
Fellowship	Cliff Reid, Rt. 1, Iron Station	28080	9	11	1	0	12	0	0	2	0	35
Friendly Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gainsville	Jay Jones, Rt. 1, Lincolnton	28092	10	9	4	0	18	0	0	1	0	42
Howard's Creek			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hull's Grove	Ralph Cline, Rt. 2, Vale	28168	10	0	0	0	22	0	0	0	0	32
Lawing's Chapel			12	15	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	28
Leonard's Fork	Vance Heavner, Rt. 1, Crouse	28033	7	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	12
Lincoln Avenue	Johnny Dellinger, Rt.3, Box 972, Lincolnton	28092	17	4	3	0	0	21	0	1	0	46
Lincolnton, First	Harry Brogden, P. O. Box 368, Lincolnton	28092	18	0	4	0	27	0	0	1	0	50
Lincolnton, North			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, West			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Long Shoals	Jim Poovey, Rt. 4, Box 311, Lincolnton	28092	7	10	1	0	6	4	0	1	0	29

Macedonia			4	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14
Maiden - East	Kirby Dellinger, Box 261, Maiden	28650	25	15	3	0	17	0	0	0	0	60
Maiden - First	Leon Drum, Rt.4, Box 361, Newton	28658	0	38	0	0	25	0	0	0	0	63
Massapoag			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mathis Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Anderson	Pete Turner, Rt.1, Newton	28658	15	12	4	0	14	0	0	1	0	46
Mount Ruhama	Gerald Caldwell, Rt.2, Claremont	28610	16	12	2	0	15	0	0	0	0	45
Mount Zion	William Stroupe, Rt.1, Alexis	28006	0	8	1	0	8	0	0	1	0	18
Mountain View	Glenn Hicks, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	10	10	0	0	19	0	0	0	0	39
North Brook	Harry Arthur, Sr., Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	6	7	2	0	12	0	0	2	0	29
Oak Grove			2	8	5	0	8	0	0	1	0	24
Olivet			5	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Pearl			11	7	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	22
Piney Grove			8	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18
Poole's Chapel												
Reepsville	Edward Helms, Rt.1, Box 420, Lincolnton	28092	8	24	7	0	26	0	0	1	0	66
River View	L. D. Mauney, Rt.6, Box 71, Lincolnton	28092	13	7	0	0	20	0	0	1	0	41
Roseland			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salem	John P. McLeod, Rt.7, Box 290, Lincolnton	28092	17	6	2	0	15	0	0	1	0	41
Sharon			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southside	Kenneth Link, Rt.4, Box 54, Lincolnton	28092	5	7	2	0	14	0	0	1	0	29
Temple			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport	Ed Hearne, Rt.1, Box 349 A., Denver	28037	17	16	3	0	10	0	0	1	0	47
Westside												
TOTAL			347	284	76	4	376	25	0	20	0	1132

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP YEAR ENDING 9-30 1973 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork
State: North Carolina
Associational Treasurer: Mrs. J. E. Helms
Address: Box 461 City: Maiden State: North Carolina Zip: 28650

CHURCHES	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	19	20			21	22	121	122	123	124	125	126	127	128	129	130
		Number of tithers	Budget prom or emphasis used during the year: None	Forward Program	Other	Cooperative Program goal as percent of total budget	Associational missions goal as percent of total budget	Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during the year	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
Amity	Mrs. Dianne Dean, Rt.1, Box 260, Denver 28037	61	x			9½%	.07	49163	0	49163	0	10280	0	14885	986	15666	41794
Antioch	Mrs. Ruth Beal, Rt. 5, Lincolnton 28092	40	x			11%	5%	38282	446	38728	0	9275	0	0	1[illegible]	9500	19145
Bethel	Mrs. Wm.Rumfelt, Rt.5,Box 177B,Lincolnton 28092	30	x			10%	5%	22090	1414	23504	0	8710	1330	0	500	7181	17721
Boger City	J. E. Norwood,2315 E. Main St.,Lincolnton 28092	185	x			15%	2%	80355	0	80355	0	24747	0	16461	2000	43583	86791
Calvary	Miss Janice Smith,Box 128,Rt.1,Lincolnton 28092	150	x			31/3	1.5	49777	0	49777	0	16845	0	1735	4702	19945	43227
Cedar Grove	Grady Grindstaff, Rt.1, Box 266, Newton 28658	32	x					16081	0	16081	4200	6918	6573	0	364	1690	15545
Center View	Kenneth Gilleland, Rt.1, Maiden 28650	50	x			5.75	1.75	25639	0	25639	0	7350	962	0	858	6805	15975
Coral Park	David Spivey, Rt. 5, Lincolnton 28092	6	x			.01	.001	4158	0	4158	0	1346	0	840	108	863	3157
Craig Memorial	Mrs. Larry McGinnis,423 E.Poplar,Stanley 28164	21	x			14%	3%	21040	55	21095	0	7770	0	2110	464	5406	15750
Crouse	Elliotte Loftin, Rt. 6, Lincolnton 28092		x			.2%	1.5	11958	0	11958	0	4760	0	1902	95	4184	10941
David Memorial	Mrs. Jeanette Armstrong, Rt.7,Box 322,Lincolnton 28092	32	x			1.38	2.8	20280	0	20280	0	5310	0	6032	416	2715	14473
Faith	Mrs. Betty S.Helton, Rt.1, Stanley 28164	55	x			3%	2%	39123	430	39553	80000	10509	10000	4322	1114	5099	31044
Fellowship	James Cody, Rt. 1, Iron Station 28080	70	x			8%	2%	19970	0	19970	0	7540	0	3923	741	750	12954
Friendly Chapel	James Ledford, Rt.1, Box 207. Denver 28037	30	x					20458	0	20458	5000	6260	7836	5219	320	11207	30842
Gainsville	Fred L. Rhyne,Sr., Rt.1, Crouse 28033	60	x			15%	2.5	33581	3915	37496	0	13855	0	0	1150	9190	24195
Howard's Creek	Marshall G. Gilbert, Rt.1, Box 432,Lincolnton 28092	7	x					3474	0	3474	0	1215	0	1974	55	978	4222
Hudson Chapel	Wm.S.Leatherman, Rt.2,Box 35, Catawba 28609	45	x			3%		12222	0	12222	5000	6125	0	3582	143	3351	13201
Hull's Grove	R. D. Fortenberry, Rt.1, Cherryville 28021	35	x			10%		33865	0	33865	0	11943	0	0	921	21694	34558
Lawing's Chapel	Jim McAlister, Rt.2, Maiden 28650	60	x			5.8	1.2	34558	0	34558	0	7165	0	0	2014	0	9179
Leonard's Fork	Mrs. Polly Hager, 108 Bost St., Lincolnton 28092	17	x			10%	2%	11349	0	11349	0	4460	0	0	316	1066	5842
Lincoln Avenue	David Ross, Rt.2, Box 317, Lincolnton 28092	165	x			20%	2%	57651	0	57651	0	15091	0	9181	1326	15045	40643
Lincolnton,First	Mrs. Elizabeth Sanford, P.O.Box 714,Lincolnton 28092	205	x			17%	1%	156708	6781	163489	0	31451	0	0	2400	28315	62166
Lincolnton,North	Mrs. James McAlister, P.O. Box -, Lincolnton 28092	9	x					40	10	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton,West	Morris Cornwell, Rt.6,Box311, Lincolnton 28092	39	x					14365	0	14365	0	5355	0	2168	443	6021	13987
Long Shoals	Fred Gates, Rt. 4, Lincolnton 28092	40	x			10%		23051	1229	24280	3000	7940	3724	0	543	6262	18469

Macedonia	Mrs. Allen Ballard, Rt.3, Box 630, Lincolnton	28092	60	x			10%	2.22	46896	1837	48733	0	12905	0	0	1074	7032	21011
Maiden - East	Charles Pope, Rt.2, Maiden	28650	35	x					59672	2190	61862	0	14560	0	0	3302	31955	49817
Maiden - First	Blair Abernathy, 109 E. Boyd St.,Maiden	28650		x			20%	.015	102432	0	102432	0	29995	0	23136	2275	13694	69100
Massapoag	Mrs. Rachel Chapman, Rt.2,Box 7,Lincolnton	28092	25	x			10%	$200	16024	0	16024	0	5810	0	3947	624	3775	14156
Mathis Chapel	Mrs. Clifford Sherrill, Rt.1,Sherrills Ford	28673	21	x					15402	0	15402	0	5949	8366	0	377	558	15250
Mount Anderson	Phil Turbyfill, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	95	x			2%	1%	31972	300	32272	0	8165	7263	8704	700	2700	27532
Mount Ruhama	Miss Beda Campbell, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	175	x					94887	0	94887	0	16700	0	0	1630	34555	52885
Mount Zion	Cull G. Long, Rt.1, Alexis	28006	37	x			10%	2%	28250	0	28250	0	6762	6350	0	954	5804	19870
Mountain View	Donald L. Caldwell, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	50	x			10%	2%	47766	0	47766	0	9340	0	0	1164	15314	25818
North Brook	Mrs. Kemp Wehunt, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	50	x			10%	1.75	22925	0	22925	3180	8374	0	3180	682	13076	25312
Oak Grove	Robert Smith , Rt. 6, Lincolnton	28092	30	x			10%	.7%	21678	0	21678	0	8111	0	4665	519	7006	20301
Olivet	Reid Martin, Rt.2, Catawba	28609	50	x			15%	1.5%	28025	0	28025	5000	9205	5165	2762	1345	5813	24290
Pearl	Barry Devine, Rt.1, Iron Station	28080	31	x			4%	2%	41886	0	41886	0	9796	23518	6000	998	8618	48930
Piney Grove	Mrs. John Cansler, Rt.2, Box 169A,Claremont	28610	20	x					26396	0	26396	6000	6655	6000	9653	800	4634	27742
Poole's Chapel																		
Reepsville	Edward Helms, Rt.1, Box 420, Lincolnton	28092	125	x			12%	.018	52213	588	52801	0	13355	0	2091	1520	43442	60408
River View	Pervy Coffey, Rt.6, Box 87, Lincolnton	28092	78	x			11%	1.5	45372	0	45372	0	10483	3938	13276	1758	7582	37037
Roseland	Mrs. Ruth Colvard, 321 E. Carter St.,Lincolnton	28092	12	x				1.75	7281	0	7281	19138	3550	0	1643	133	888	6214
Salem	D. B. Lewis, Rt.7, Box 309, Lincolnton	28092	97	x			4.8	1.6	55556	0	55556	725	14560	0	17511	1539	20460	54070
Sharon	Mrs. Chester Armstrong, Rt.1,Iron Station	28080	25	x			2%	1%	16487	0	16487	5000	3890	7027	1891	430	3150	16388
Southside	Mrs. Glenn Morrison, P.O. Box 101, Lincolnton	28092	90	x			13.3	1.7	49813	0	49813	0	10828	16567	17396	1019	13993	59803
Temple	Mrs. P.C. Crouse,328 E.Carter St.,Lincolnton	28092	17	x					7458	0	7458	0	4210	0	1449	150	865	6674
Westport	Robert Howard, Rt.2, Denver	28037	20	x			10%	.003	29300	0	29300	1000	9786	9467	6415	933	3521	30122
Westside																		
TOTAL			2587						1646929	19195	1666124	137243	455209	124086	198053	46257	474946	1298551

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES — YEAR ENDING 9-30- 1973 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork

State: North Carolina

Associational Superintendent of Missions (Associational Missionary): James B. McQuere

Address: Box 461 — City: Maiden — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28650

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		131	132	133	134	135	136	137	138	139	140	141	142	143	144	145
			CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS				OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES										
			Money paid out on new construction during the year	All other church sponsored mission expenditures	Total church sponsored mission expenditures	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	Designated State missions	Designated SBC Home Missions (incl. Annie Armstrong Easter offering)	Designated SBC Foreign Missions (incl. Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	Designated Christian education (schools, etc.)	Designated Children's homes (cash plus goods)	Designated Hospitals	Designated Homes for the aged	Designated All other (Bible Society, Temperance League etc.)	Total other mission cause expenditures	Grand Total Mission expenditures
Amity	Mrs. Rhyne Reel, Rt.2, Box 437, Iron Station	28080	0	0	0	4681	364	129	1044	1623	52	240	273	117	0	3842	8523
Antioch	Mrs. Betty B. Setzer, Rt.5, Box 1062, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	3102	450	179	225	517	152	255	185	153	316	2432	5534
Bethel	Mrs. Joe Mull, Rt.5, Box 243, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	2151	260	17	152	223	50	100	100	100	6	1008	3159
Boger City	Coleman L. Goodson, 1618 E. Main St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	7280	1500	208	318	1020	25	201	90	54	570	3986	11266
Calvary	Mrs. Howard Schronce, P.O. Box 421, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	1533	641	137	148	567	0	258	190	0	25	1966	3499
Cedar Grove	Mrs. Ross Williams, P. O. Box 398, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	217	143	194	200	0	150	0	0	0	904	904
Center View	Mrs. Donna Lawing, Rt.2, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	1266	375	100	378	545	0	170	215	49	0	1832	3098
Coral Park	Miss Lydia Sue Black, Rt.1, Box 57, Crouse	28033	0	0	0	22	25	0	0	5	0	10	10	0	0	50	72
Craig Memorial	Mrs. Gary R. McGinnis, Rt.1, Box 197-B, Stanley	28164	0	75	75	2250	374	0	211	314	0	0	0	0	110	1009	3334
Crouse	Mrs. John W. Gantt, 1440 E. Main St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	66	135	60	115	192	0	161	70	50	111	894	960
David Memorial	Mrs. Linda Spencer, P. O. Box 1292, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	197	79	0	116	132	0	19	10	10	0	366	563
Faith	Mrs. Ethel Helton, Rt.1, Box 189, Mt. Holly	28120	0	0	0	523	353	15	74	509	15	281	26	0	0	1273	1796
Fellowship	Mrs. Carl Rhyne, Rt.1, Box 251, Iron Station	28080	0	0	0	2044	460	20	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	497	2541
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. James Carpenter, Rt.1, Box 165-D, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	0	0	138	0	0	0	238	238
Gainsville	Larry S. Gilbert, P. O. Box 417, Crouse	28033	0	0	0	4991	458	82	519	603	15	103	82	54	0	1916	6907
Howard's Creek	Mrs. Mary Keziah, Rt.1, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	0	25	0	0	0	125	125
Hudson Chapel	Mrs. Roby A. Stewart, Rt.2, Box 37, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	145	175	0	0	0	0	15	25	15	115	345	490
Hull's Grove	M. J. Gilbert, Rt.1, Lincolnton	28092	0	1500	1500	3200	550	110	1378	1160	444	247	53	13	698	4653	10053
Lawing's Chapel	Mrs. Joan Henry, Rt.2, Box 378, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	1250	270	71	250	720	24	798	196	163	80	2472	3722
Leonard's Fork	Mrs. Reba Elmore, Rt.2, Vale	28168	0	0	0	1158	223	50	0	123	100	29	23	17	0	565	1723
Lincoln Avenue	Mrs. Theron W. Price, Rt.7, Box 992, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	10578	986	244	851	2245	50	177	178	103	453	5287	15865
Lincolnton, First	Mrs. Evelyn James, 619 N. Laurel St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	22093	1200	933	3168	4865	128	1172	140	104	2591	14301	36394
Lincolnton, North	Mrs. James Hoyle, Rt.4, Box 34, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, West	Mrs. Fred Smith, 37 Railroad St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	60	85	281	0	78	95	0	252	851	851
Long Shoals	Mrs. Grace Hoffman, Rt.6, Box 105, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	1728	250	25	44	84	0	104	0	18	381	906	2634

Macedonia	Darrell W. Beidleman, Rt.3, Box 591,Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	1300	465	50	175	807	0	130	155	76	565	2323	3723
Maiden - East	Miss Margaret Parker, Rt.2, Box 135, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	1731	800	952	506	2770	97	502	514	325	740	7288	9019
Maiden - First	Reggie Deaton, 415 N. Main St., Maiden	28650	0	0	0	19099	1516	134	463	1865	0	0	0	20	522	6519	25618
Massapoax	Mrs. Margaret Clark, 212 Highland Dr.,Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	996	200	25	229	0	25	25	25	25	0	554	1550
Mathis Chapel	Mrs. K. B. Sigmon, Rt.2, Box 222, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	40	100	0	0	250	0	0	0	0	370	720	760
Mount Anderson	Mrs. Woodrow Isenhower, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	304	398	124	106	148	50	186	156	120	1144	2432	2736
Mount Ruhama	Miss Beda Campbell, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	10251	1196	662	2000	2651	167	1222	1183	569	412	10052	20303
Mount Zion	Mrs. Wanda M. Murphy,1702 Hwy 275, Stanley	28164	0	0	0	2280	457	448	676	1812	140	595	124	139	0	4391	6671
Mountain View	Mrs. Everette A. Caldwell, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	2477	667	246	554	1070	376	460	448	271	494	4567	7044
North Brook	Mrs. Tom H. Wehunt, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	0	0	0	1735	324	48	69	214	75	107	161	54	0	1052	2787
Oak Grove	Mrs. F. W. Elmore, Rt.2, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	2087	306	20	150	345	20	35	20	30	0	926	3013
Olivet	Mrs. Virgie W. Faust, Rt.2, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	3754	396	97	240	527	20	1281	0	0	74	2635	6389
Pearl	Mrs. Carroll Beam, Rt.1, Box 63, Iron Station	28080	0	0	0	1740	645	61	172	333	54	126	76	66	0	1533	3273
Piney Grove	Mrs. Vera Caldwell, Rt.2, Box 584, Newton	28658	0	0	0	300	240	8	160	500	0	37	1	18	386	1352	1652
Poole's Chapel																	
Reepsville	Mrs. Lee Boyd, Rt.2, Box 23 A, Vale	28168	0	0	0	5742	500	0	1148	1688	0	0	0	0	0	3336	9078
River View	Mrs. Lum Summey, Rt.3, Box 1017, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	4911	723	84	355	860	44	47	36	16	260	2427	7338
Roseland	Miss Terry Colvard, 321 E. Carter St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	114	15	0	30	0	25	50	0	0	234	234
Salem	Mrs. Bobby J. Hord, Rt.7, Box 997, Lincolnton	28092	0	143	143	2200	750	25	352	505	0	400	85	130	1004	3251	5594
Sharon	Mrs. Kenneth Shull, Rt.1, Iron Station	28080	0	0	0	250	100	60	50	508	0	56	38	50	0	862	1112
Southside	Mrs. Glenn Morrison, P. O. Box 101, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	6629	800	103	539	1011	583	111	314	111	73	3645	10274
Temple	Miss Tona King, 912 E. Gaston St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport	Mrs. Sam Henderson, Rt.2, Denver	28037	0	0	0	1258	100	0	0	184	0	0	20	0	0	304	1562
Westside																	
TOTAL			0	1718	1718	140042	20242	5745	17291	34106	2706	10076	5371	3030	13774	112241	254001

TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION — YEAR ENDING September 30, 1973 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork
State: North Carolina
Moderator: Billy C. Beaver
Address: Box 338 City: Maiden State: North Carolina Zip: 28650

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
								Does church have or observe?															
			No. church-type missions started during the year	No. church-type missions currently operating	No. other-type missions started during the year	No. other-type missions currently operating	Does church plan or contemplate a major building program within the year?	Library	Recreation staff	Day Camp	Ministry to language culture group	Motion picture projector	Television program	Radio program	Christian Life committee	Christian Home Week	Witness Training (using WIN materials)	State paper in budget	Number of college students enrolled in Sunday School	Number of deacons ordained during the year	Number of active deacons	Kindergarten enrolment	Day care enrolment
Amity	Dan Reel, Jr., Rt. 1, Denver	28037	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	0	3	2	0	0
Antioch	Ralph Laney, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	0	1	0	0
Bethel	Ramson Schronce, Rt.2, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	0	0	2	0	0
Boger City			0	0	0	0	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	0	1	12	0	0
Calvary	Paul Stamey, Rt.1, Box 131, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	1	4	0	0
Cedar Grove	Arnold Mills, Rt.2, Box 61, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	0	7	0	0
Center View	Preston Turbyfill, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	0	1	7	0	0
Coral Park	David Spivey, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	0	3	0	0
Craig Memorial			0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	0	0	5	0	0
Crouse	Blair Gantt, Rt. 6, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	0	3	0	0
David Memorial	Don McSwain, Rt.6, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	0	0	8	0	0
Faith	Ben Helton, Rt.1, Stanley	28120	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	0	0	9	0	0
Fellowship	James Cody, Rt.1, Iron Station	28080	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	0	0	4	0	0
Friendly Chapel	Darris Turbyfill, Rt.1, Box 211, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	0	0	7	0	0
Gainsville	Ralph Hawkins, Rt.1, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	2	0	7	0	0
Howard's Creek	Marshall G. Gilbert, Rt.1, Box 432, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel	Kenneth Bailey, Rt.2, Box 32 A, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	1	5	0	0
Hull's Grove	M. J. Gilbert, Rt.1, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	0	8	0	0
Lawing's Chapel	Ted McAlister, Rt.2, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	0	1	9	0	0
Leonard's Fork	Vance Heavner, Rt.1, Crouse	28033	0	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	0	0	6	0	0
Lincoln Avenue	Larry Turner, 611 W. Childs St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	0	2	9	0	0
Lincolnton, First	Maurice L. Canaday, P. O. Box 578, Lincolnton	28092	0	9	0	0	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	2	0	18	0	0
Lincolnton, North			0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, West	Robert C. Houk, Rt.2, Box 392, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	1	5	0	0
Long Shoals	Fred Gates, Rt.4, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	0	6	0	0

Macedonia	E. B. Wilkinson, Jr., Rt.1, Box 216, Denver	28037	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	0	3	1	0	0
Maiden - East	Shuford Campbell, Rt.4, Box 86, Newton	28658	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	2	2	12	0	0
Maiden - First	Ronnie Finger, Rt.2, Box 11 B, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	0	0	1	21	43
Massapoag	John Clark, 210 Little St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	0	0	2	0	0
Mathis Chapel	Floyd Sigmon, Rt.2, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	0	7	0	0
Mount Anderson	Vernon Caldwell, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	0	4	0	0
Mount Ruhama	Harry Abernethy, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	0	0	16	0	0
Mount Zion	Bartlett Hager, Rt.1, Alexis	28006	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	0	0	6	0	0
Mountain View	L. P. Gilleland, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	0	0	14	0	0
North Brook	Clyde Warlick, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	0	0	7	0	0
Oak Grove	Clinton Leatherman, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	1	3	0	0
Olivet	Basil Thomas, Rt.2, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	1	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	0	0	6	0	0
Pearl	Ernest Ledford, Rt.3, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	0	7	0	0
Piney Grove	Carroll Lee, Rt.2, Newton	28658	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	1	6	0	0
Poole's Chapel																						
Reepsville	Lester Holbrooks, 404 Huss St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	0	0	6	0	0
River View	Herbert Roach, Rt.6, Box 463, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	0	0	9	0	0
Roseland	G. P. Green, Box 5141, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	0	2	0	0
Salem	J. C. Scronce, Rt.6, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	1	1	9	0	0
Sharon	W. E. Beal, Rt.3, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	0	9	0	0
Southside	Roney Sides, Rt.4, Box 158, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	0	0	9	0	0
Temple	Denver Bailey, 2111 E. Main St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	0	0	4	0	0
Westport	Tommy Williams, Rt.2, Box S-240, Denver	28037	0	0	0	0	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	0	0	8	0	0
Westside																						
TOTAL																			7	19	341	21	43

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Children's Homes . . . . . Lee Roy Smith
Christian Action League . . . . . B. J. Morris
Christian Education . . . . . Grady Bumgarner
Christian Literature . . . . . Harold L. Brown
Homes for the Aging . . . . . Donald L. Ballenger
Hospital . . . . . Guy P. Helms
South Mountain Camp . . . . . David Rhodes
Stewardship . . . . . Joe D. Drum
Foreign Missions . . . . . Don Willis
Home Missions . . . . . Bill R. Cook
State Missions . . . . . Dale W. Holden

SOUTH MOUNTAIN CAMP REPRESENTATIVES

Robert Anthony
Bob Hawley
Frank Hoyle
Roy Houk
David Rhodes

ORGANIZATIONS

Foyd Bennett, Route 2, Box 360, Maiden 28650 . . . . Sunday School Director
James F. Collette, Route 1, Box 168, Stanley 28164 . . . Church Training Director
Donald W. Ferrell, Route 2, Box 394, Newton 28658 . . . Brotherhood Director
Mrs. Earl Armstrong, Route 7, Box 10, Lincolnton 28092 . . . . W.M.U. Director
Kennith D. Adams, Route 2, Box 209A, Maiden 28650 . . . . . Music Director

COMMITTEES

Committee on Committees

One year	Charles N. Cranford	Perry Lee Wilkinson
Two years	James F. Collette, Chairman	Kenneth Wehunt
Three years	Charles H. Ingle	Paul Hilton

Executive Committee

One year	Winfred M. Turner	Elliott Loftin, Chairman
Two years	Charles H. Ingle	Emmett Turbyfill
Three years	Melvin D. Rabb	E. Z. Willis

Finance Committee

One year	Alvin L. Hoyle, Chairman	John Clark
Two years	Hartwell E. Condrey	J. M. Sherrill
Three years	Billy C. Beaver	Bob Hawley

Missions Committee

One year	Donald W. Ferrell	Mike Groce
Two years	B. J. Morris	J. E. Helms
Three years	Charles N. Cranford, Chairman	Albert C. Helms, Jr.

Nominating Committee

One year	Floyd T. Kirksey, Chairman	Bill Hoffman
Two years	Robert A. Cantwell	Bobby J. Hord
Three years	William Justice	Kennith D. Adams

Program Committee

One year	D. Harding Caldwell, Chairman	Miss Ellen Bridges
Two years	Nathan L. May	Mrs. Wayne Johnson
Three years	Donald L. Ballenger	Mrs. Earl F. Armstrong

Evangelism Committee

One year	Fred Hawkins, Sr.
Two years	Foyd Bennett, Chairman
Three years	Grady Bumgarner

Ordination Committee

One year	J. C. Beal	Guy P. Helms, Chairman
Two years	George DeLozier	Charles Moseley
Three years	Fred A. Carpenter	Lee Roy Smith

Resolutions Committee

One Year	Paul U. McAlpin, Chairman
Two years	Mrs. Joe D. Drum
Three years	Parks C. Harris

Stewardship Committee

One year	Joe D. Drum, Chairman
Two years	Alvin Stewart
Three years	J. W. Crouse

Christian Life Committee

One year	Harold L. Brown, Chairman
Two years	Buford Bumgarner
Three years	Loyd J. Spencer

MINISTERS NOT SERVING AS PASTORS

CENTER VIEW . . . . . Paul K. Drum, Route 1, Box 300 E, Maiden 28650
CROUSE . . . . . R. G. Blackburn, Route 6, Box 238, Lincolnton 28092
David Beam, Route 3, Box 78, Cherryville 28021
DAVID MEMORIAL . . . . . H. O. Milan, Route 5, Lincolnton 28092
FELLOWSHIP . . . . . C. W. Knight, Route 1, Iron Station 28080
GAINSVILLE . . . . . Gaither Shrum, Route 5, Lincolnton 28092
LINCOLN AVENUE . . . Lawrence Laney, 231 W. Water St., Lincolnton 28092
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Dr. Eph Whisenhunt, P. O. Box 476, Lincolnton 28092
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OLIVET . . . . . Lester C. Thomas, Route 1, Box 148 A, Sherrills Ford 28673
RIVER VIEW . . . . . E. W. Friday, Route 6, Box 81, Lincolnton 28092
W. W. Black, Route 3, 110 Lynn Dr., Dallas 28034
SALEM . . . . . Harvey Cloninger, Route 7, Lincolnton 28092
Verlin Ray, Route 7, Lincolnton 28092
SHARON . . . . . Floyd Beaty, Route 1, Iron Station 28080
SOUTHSIDE . . . . . Paul Benfield, P. O. Box 891, Lincolnton 28092
John Kale, Route 6, Box 586, Lincolnton 28092

LICENSED MINISTERS

AMITY . . . . . Lander Heafner, Jr., Route 1, Iron Station 28080
ANTIOCH . . . . . Ted Turner, Route 3, Box 708T, Lincolnton 28092
BOGER CITY . . . . . George Smith, P. O. Box 236, Lincolnton 28092
CALVARY . . . . . Fred Hawkins, Jr., Route 1, Box 149, Lincolnton 28092
Paul Stamey, Route 1, Box 131, Lincolnton 28092
CROUSE . . . . . John W. Gantt, 1440 E. Main St., Lincolnton 28092
FELLOWSHIP . . . . . Jerry White, High Shoals 28093
LINCOLN AVENUE . . . . . Kenneth Pittman, Box 836, Drexel 28619
MACEDONIA . . . . Dewey Crouse, Jr., Route 3, Box 592, Lincolnton 28092
MOUNT RUHAMA . . . . . Ricky H. Josey, Route 2, Newton 28658
MOUNTAIN VIEW . . . . . Ronald E. Lynch, Route 3, Box 950, Shelby 28150
PEARL . . . . . C. A. Smith, Route 1, Iron Station 28080
Terrell Robinson, Route 2, Maiden 28650
RIVER VIEW . . . . . Joe Rhyne, Route 6, Box 239, Lincolnton 28092
George Caldwell, Route 6, Box 437, Lincolnton 28092
SOUTHSIDE . . . . . Roney Sides, Route 4, Box 158, Lincolnton 28092
WESTPORT . . . . . Sam Henderson, Route 2, Box S 241, Denver 28037

MINISTERS ORDAINED DURING THE YEAR

ANTIOCH . . . . . William Painter, Route 3, Box 550 Lincolnton 28092
SALEM . Daniel A. Featherstone, Jr., c/o Sandy Run Baptist Church, Roxobel 27872
WESTPORT . . . . . Stanley Skipper, 133 Vernon Ave., Wake Forest 27857

MINISTERS LICENSED DURING THE YEAR

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FELLOWSHIP . . . . . Jerry White, High Shoals 28093
LONG SHOALS . . . . . Lester Payseur, Route 4, Box 697, Lincolnton 28092
MOUNTAIN VIEW . . . . . Ronald E. Lynch, Route 3, Box 950, Shelby 28150
OLIVET . . . . . Jimmy Brown, Sherrills Ford 28673
SHARON . . . . . David Chapman, Apt. 4C, Wellington Manor, Gaffney, S. C. 29340

MESSENGERS

AMITY - Mrs. Jim Haskett, Mrs. Rhyne Reel, Rev. Winfred Turner, Mrs. Doris B. Turner

ANTIOCH - Jessie Baumgardner, Jane Beal, Vertie Leatherman, Pink Leatherman, Mrs. Eva Smith

BETHEL - Rev. Alvin Hoyle, Mrs. Alvin Hoyle, Wilma Sigmon

BOGER CITY - Mrs. Elsie Hovis, B. J. Morris, Ruth Morris, Mr. Van Morris, Earlie Norwood, J. E. Norwood, A. R. Rice, Mrs. Julius Sherrill, J. M. Sherrill

CEDAR GROVE - Elgin Withers, Mrs. E. J. Withers, Glenda Withers

CENTER VIEW - Belton Burke, Elmer P. Burke, Mrs. E. P. Burke, C. R. Hallman, Parks C. Harris, Floyd Jones, Mrs. Preston Turbyfill

CRAIG MEMORIAL - James F. Collette, Mrs. James Collette, Mrs. Larry Fisher, Larry B. Fisher, Rosa Merck

CROUSE - John C. Beal, Mrs. Mae Carpenter, Mrs. Everette Goins, Elliott Loftin

DAVID MEMORIAL - Mrs. Daries Spencer, Rev. Loyd J. Spencer, Mrs. Loyd Spencer

FAITH - Ben Helton, Mrs. Robert Helton, Mrs. Catherine Smith, Geraldine Smith Howard F. Smith

FELLOWSHIP - Joe D. Drum, C. W. Knight, Alton Walker

FRIENDLY CHAPEL - Rhyne Henley, G. W. Shell

GAINSVILLE - Rev. Hartwell Condrey, Jean Condrey, Mrs. Frank Elmore, Mrs. Kenneth Johnson

HUDSON CHAPEL - Bill Leatherman, Paul McAlpin

HULL'S GROVE - Cecil L. Ballard, Mrs. Cecil Ballard, Jean Bass, Annie Stouse, Vertie Mull, Lorene Taylor, Joan Wehunt, Mrs. W. C. Willis

LAWING'S CHAPEL - Floyd Bennett, Mrs. Clyde Carter, Bonnie Dale, Atlanta L. Henry, Paul Hilton, Mrs. Paul Hilton, Mrs. Ruth Lovings, Mrs. Johnnie Shubert

LEONARD'S FORK - Marshall Black, Mrs. Jonah Hager, William Justice, Vera Reynolds, Mrs. Ida Thompson

LINCOLN AVENUE - C. R. Hallman, Albert C. Helms, Jr., Mrs. Albert Helms, Lawrence Laney, James A. Sain, Sallie Stamey

LINCOLNTON FIRST - Mrs. Maude Abernathy, Mrs. Morris Baker, Bob Cantwell, Mrs. Harry L. Davis, Jessie Dellinger, Winslow Hallman, Mrs. Fred Harrill, U Chit Khin, Dr. Eph Whisenhunt

LINCOLNTON, NORTH - Mrs. James W. Drum, Sue Townsend

LONG SHOALS - Grady Bumgarner

MACEDONIA - Mrs. Mary Ballard, Mrs. Richard L. Keever, Mrs. Eva Lee Potts, E. B. Wilkinson, Jr., Mrs. E. B. Wilkinson, Jr.

MAIDEN, EAST - Wilma Drum, Ilease Hullette, Sarah Marr, Mrs. Luke Parker, Melvin D. Rabb, Nell Schronce, Velma Williams, Eva Yoder

MAIDEN, FIRST - Kennith Adams, Billy C. Beaver, Mrs. Billy Beaver, Ray Danner, Pearl Hawn, James B. McQuere, Mrs. James B. McQuere, Florence Wilkinson

MASSAPOAG - Elma Aiken, John Clark, Mrs. John Clark, Dorothy Kirksey, Floyd Kirksey, Mrs. Gertrude Kiser

MOUNT ANDERSON - Wade H. Caldwell, Eunice G. Caldwell, Fred A. Carpenter, Ida Carpenter, Floyd Painter, Mrs. Floyd Painter

MOUNT RUHAMA - Mrs. Ray V. Caldwell, Jerry L. Cook, Don Ferrell, Mrs. Don Ferrell, Mrs. Fred Hemricks, Mrs. Marie Stallings

MOUNT ZION - Don Ballenger, Iva Lineberger, Mrs. L. A. McClure, E. A. Sadler, Mrs. W. E. Stroupe, Jr.

MOUNTAIN VIEW - D. Harding Caldwell, Mrs. Harding Caldwell, Ann Keener, Mrs. Vassil S. Robinson, Emmett Turbyfill, Bessie Turbyfill, Mrs. Ada Woodard

NORTH BROOK - Robert E. Adams, Mrs. Lee Bess, Coy Dellinger, Mrs. Coy H. Dellinger.

OAK GROVE - Clyde Byers, Donna Kay Steelman, Aaron Wylie, Mrs. Virginia Wylie

OLIVET - Mrs. Vergie W. Faust, Bill Hoffman, Mrs. Bill Hoffman

PEARL - Harvey Dellinger, Mrs. Harvey Dellinger

PINEY GROVE - Vera Caldwell, Rev. Bill Cook, Webb A. Wilkinson

REEPSVILLE - Dale Holden, Mrs. Dale Holden, Mrs. Vane Mahala, Mrs. Jess Schronce, Mrs. W. M. Scronce, Mr. W. M. Scronce, Allie West

RIVER VIEW - Mrs. Ernest Friday, Mrs. Robert Hoffman, Mrs. John W. Mauney

ROSELAND - Mrs. Jina Gantt, Mrs. Hester Griffin

SALEM - W. H. Boyles, Charles Cranford, Mrs. Glenn Dellinger, John P. McLeod, Mrs. John McLeod, Herbert Rhyne

SHARON - Mrs. Edna Dellinger, Mrs. Ken Shull, Rev. Donald Willis

SOUTHSIDE - Billie Boulerice, Doris Crowe, Betty Dameron, Mrs. Lennie Jones, Lee Roy Smith, Mrs. Lee Roy Smith, Nancy Whitesides, Mrs. Ramona Whitesides

WESTPORT - Mrs. D. L. Fortenberry, Rebecca Hager, Guy Helms, Mrs. Joyce Helms, Mrs. Tommy Williams

Constitution

Preamble

We, the Missionary Baptist Churches of Jesus Christ, composing the South Fork Baptist Association, convinced of the necessity of an association of churches in order to promote fellowship, missions education, Christian service, the preaching of the gospel, and to cooperate with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention in their work, do hereby agree and subscribe to the following articles.

Article I NAME

The name of the body shall be the South Fork Baptist Association of North Carolina.

Article II MEMBERSHIP

The membership of the Association shall be composed of the duly elected messengers from the cooperating Baptist Churches in the South Fork Baptist Association, three for the first one hundred members or fraction thereof, and one for each additional one hundred members or fraction thereof, provided that no church shall have more than ten messengers in addition to the pastor. All Pastors of churches in the Association and the Director of Missions shall be recognized as messengers.

Article III AUTHORITY

This Association claims to be independent and sovereign in its own sphere, but shall never attempt to exercise any authority over the internal affairs of the churches.

Article IV ARTICLES OF FAITH

The Articles of Faith of this Association, which shall be the basis of fellowship and cooperation, are those adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention in Memphis, Tennessee on May 14, 1925 and amended in Kansas City, Missouri, May 9, 1963.

Article V MEETINGS

The Association shall meet annually on Tuesday and Wednesday after the third Sunday in October. The Moderator shall call special meetings of the Association upon the recommendation of the Executive Committee, provided two weeks notice is given to the member churches.

Article VI OFFICERS

The officers of the Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Parliamentarian, Historian, Libarian and three Trustees. They shall be elected by the Association in its annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting. Vacancies occuring between annual meetings shall be filled by the Executive Committee, except the office of Moderator, in which the Vice-Moderator shall automatically become Moderator.

Article VII ORGANIZATIONS

The Association shall encourage and promote such associational organizations as Sunday School, Church Training, Women's Missionary Union, Brotherhood, Music and such other organizations which are in keeping with the purpose of this Association with their full staffs and programs necessary for the promotion of the work. The officers of these organizations shall be elected by the Association in its annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting. Vacancies occuring between annual meetings shall be filled by the Executive Committee.

Article VIII ASSOCIATIONAL BOARD

The Association shall have an Associational Board composed of the officers of the Association, the Director of Missions, the Associational Sunday School Director, the Associational Church Training Director, the Associational W.M.U. Director, the Associational Brotherhood Director, the Associational Music Director, the pastors of the member churches, and two members from each member church to be elected by the church. The two members from each church shall be duly certified in the annual letter.

Article IX ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL

The Association shall have an Associational Council composed of the Director of Missions as chairman, the Moderator, the Associational Sunday School Director, the Associational Church Training Director, the Associational W.M.U. Director, the Associational Brotherhood Director, the Associational Music Director, the chairman of the Executive Committee and the Chairman of Evangelism.

Article X COMMITTEES

The Moderator shall appoint at the annual meeting of the Association a committee on Committees, consisting of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.

The Association shall have the following standing committees, along with other committees authorized by the Association or the Associational Board.

1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of the Moderator, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, the Chairman of the Missions Committee and six other members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
2. The Finance Committee shall be composed of the Treasurer and six other members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
3. The Missions Committee shall be composed of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
4. The Nominating Committee shall be composed of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
5. The Program Committee shall be composed of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
6. The Evangelism Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.
7. The Ordination Committee shall be composed of six pastors.
8. The Resolutions Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.
9. The Stewardship Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.
10. The Christian Life Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.

Article XI NEW CHURCHES

The Association may receive other churches into its fellowship upon receipt of letters of dismission from other like associations. It may also receive newly constituted churches whose Articles of Faith harmonize with the generally accepted Articles of Faith among Southern Baptist. Any newly organized church applying for membership in the Association shall be received under the watchcare for a period of time sufficient to prove, through practice and attitude, its place as a cooperating Baptist church. A church, upon organization, may apply for membership through the Executive Committee of the Association. If, in the judgment of the Missions Committee, such church has met the requirements stated above, the Missions Committee may recommend at the next annual meeting that such church be received into the full fellowship of the Association. During this period of watchcare such churches shall be entitled to all rights and privileges of the Association except that their members shall not hold office nor vote.

Article XII DISCIPLINE

Any church failing to report the annual letter to the Association, or failing to be represented at the annual meeting, or failing to contribute worthily to Associational and Denominational Missions, for two consecutive years, shall be notified by the Executive Committee that if their failure is not remedied by the next annual meeting, recommendation shall be made to remove said church from the fellowship of the Association.

Articles XIII CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES

This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of the Association by a two-thirds majority of the messengers present and voting on the second day, at a time provided by the Program Committee, provided the proposed amendment has been presented to the Executive Committee in writing at least thirty days prior to the annual meeting, and provided the proposed amendment is read to the Association on the first day of the annual meeting.

Article XIV QUORUM

Messengers from thirty-three and one third percent of the churches enrolled as members of the Association shall constitute a quorum.

By-Laws

By-Law I Parliamentary Rules

The Parliamentary authority of the Association shall be Robert's Rules of Order (latest revised edition).

By-Law II. Associational Year

The Associational year shall begin October 1 and close September 30.

By-Law III. Meetings

The regular meetings of the Association shall be held at such places as may be decided by the Association in regular session. Change of places that may become necessary shall be decided by the Executive Committee. Each session of the Association shall be opened and closed with prayer.

By-Law IV. Election of Officers

Nominations for Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer shall be made from the floor. The Nominating Committee will present names for all other officers.

By-Law V. Duties of Officers

1. The Moderator shall preside over the meetings of the Association according to the Constitution and By-Laws, and appoint a Committee on Committees. He shall be chairman of the Associational Board and shall be a member of all committees. He shall be ineligible to suceed himself after the second successive term.

2. The Vice Moderator shall preside in the absence, or at the pleasure of the Moderator, and shall be vice chairman of the Associational Board.

3. The Clerk shall send annual report forms to the member churches at least thirty days prior to the annual Associational meeting. Keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the Association, supervise the printing and the distributing of the Minutes to the member churches, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee, keep on file copies of the minutes, records and other documents of the Association, and serve as Secretary of the Associational Board. For these services the Clerk may receive an honorarium annually to be decided by the Association.

4. The Treasurer shall receive and bank all funds of the Association in the name of the Association, disburse the same upon instructions from the Association, its Associational Board or as designated in the budget; render an accurate report of receipts and disbursements at the annual meeting, give a report at each quarterly Associational Board meeting; and keep books available and up to date for examination. For mutual protection the Treasurer shall be bonded in such an amount as the Executive Committee shall direct. For these services the Treasurer may receive an honorarium annually to be decided by the Association.

5. The Parliamentarian shall advise and assist the Moderator and the Association with respect to all matters involving proper parliamentary procedure.

6. The Historian shall collect and preserve historical data on the Association and its churches, and shall present a written report at each annual meeting of the Association.

7. The Librarian shall direct and supervise the Library Program of the Association and shall present a written report at each annual meeting of the Association.

8. The three Trustees shall be the legal representatives of the Association in all matters concerning the acquiring or disposing of property, and shall execute in the name of the Association all legal instruments as directed by the Association or the Associational Board.

By Law VI. Duties of Organizational Leaders

1. The Associational Sunday School Director shall promote and supervise the Sunday School Program of the Association, and shall be responsible for the direction of the Vacation Bible School work of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

2. The Associational Church Training Director shall promote and supervise the Church Training Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

3. The Associational Woman's Missionary Director shall promote and supervise the Woman's Missionary Union Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions and in keeping with the Constitution and By-Laws of Woman's Missionary Union of South Fork Baptist Association.

4. The Associational Brotherhood Director shall promote and supervise the Brotherhood Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

5. The Associational Music Director shall promote and supervise the Music Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

By-Law VII. The Associational Board

The Associational Board shall hold four quarterly meetings and others as necessary, and present a written report to the Association at its annual meeting. It shall be the duty of the Associational Board to act for the Association in the interim between annual meetings. It shall carry out the policies and will of the Association.

By-Law VIII. The Associational Council

The Associational Council shall coordinate the activities of the Associational organizations and plan and promote an Associational calendar of activities. It shall meet at least once per quarter.

By-Law IX. Duties of Committees

1. The Committee on Committees shall nominate the members of the several standing committees and present them for election by Association, fill any vacancies that may occur between annual meetings and report these to the Associational Board; and appoint special committees that may be authorized by the Association or its Associational Board.

2. The Executive Committee shall administer all matters committed to it by the Association or its Associational Board and decide on routine and emergency matters between sessions of the Associational Board. It shall initiate and recommend matters concerning business management and approve the employment of all personnel, except the Director of Missions. It shall accept applications for membership in the Association from newly constituted churches and may receive said churches under watchcare until the next annual meeting. It shall provide annually for an audit of the Treasurer's records and report the condition of the financial records to the Association. It shall give full guidance and direction to the Director of Missions in formulating plans and promoting the work of the Association in general. It shall meet monthly but a quorum of five shall be necessary to transact business. It shall report quarterly to the Associational Board.

3. The Finance Committee shall plan and present to the Associational Board in its last meeting prior to the annual meeting of the Association an annual budget to be approved by the Board and then present to the Association in its annual meeting for final approval. This committee shall have the general oversight and administration of the financial affairs of the association, and make a quarterly report to the Associational Board.

4. The Missions Committee shall survey communities which appear to be in need of new Baptist work and ministry; seek to enlist churches to sponsor new work in such communities; give guidance and council in procuring temporary and permanent sites for locating such work in accord with Associational policy; and make recommendations to the Association or its Associational Board as to the missionary needs which might be best met through cooperative efforts. It shall advise with any group considering a new church and assist in organizing new churches. It shall make recommendations to the Association concerning all churches under watchcare.

5. The Nominating Committee shall nominate at the annual meeting of the Association the officers of the Association and organizational officers according to Articles V and VI of the Contitution and Associational representatives for the various institutions and agencies of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

6. The Program Committee shall prepare a printed program for the annual meeting of the Association which shall be sent to all persons on the program and to all pastors at least thirty days before the annual meeting. It shall direct the enrolment of the messengers at the annual meeting. It shall recommend the place or places for the next annual meeting and the preacher and alternate for the annual sermon.

7. The Evangelism Committee shall promote the total program of Evangelism within the churches of the Association.

8. The Ordination Committee shall, upon request by a member church, assist with the examination and ordination of a candidate for the gospel ministry.

9. The Resolutions Committee shall present to the Association any resolutions it may deem wise. All resolutions presented to the Association shall be referred to the Resolutions Committee, except that by a two-thirds vote of the messengers present on the first day of the Associational meeting, the rules may be suspended and a resolution may be taken up for immediate consideration.

10. The Stewardship Committee shall promote the total program of Stewardship within the churches of the Association. It shall assist the Finance Committee in the promotion of the Associational budget.

11. The Christian Life Committee shall recommend ways in which the Association can work for the promotion of civic righteousness and social uplift.

12. Members of all committees shall be elected to serve on a rotating basis of not more than three years.

By-Law X. Employment Procedures

The Association shall employ a Director of Missions who shall be recommended by the Executive Committee and elected by the Association or the Associational Board. The Director of Missions shall work under the guidance of the Executive Committee and serve as a member of all committees. All other employed personnel, as may be provided in the Associational budget, shall be employed by the Executive Committee.

By-Law XI. Amendments

Amendments to the By-Laws may be made at any annual meeting by a majority of the messengers present.

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS JOB DESCRIPTION

I. Chief Administrative Office of the Association.

II. Relationships

1. Responsible to the Executive Committee of the Association. He shall meet with and report to the Executive Committee at least monthly.
2. General supervision of the personnel and program of the Association as they function through the Associational office.
3. Work primarily with the Associational general officers, committees, and organizations.
4. Work closely with auxiliary organizations (Pastors' conference, Ministers' wives, etc.)
5. Lead in maintaining relationships with State and SBC agencies.
6. Implement inter-action with outside agencies which may be beneficial to the program of the Association (American Bible Society, Christian Action League, news media, etc.)

III. Duties

1. Administrative

   a. Administer policies and instructions committed to him by the Association, its Associational Board or Executive Committee.

   b. Work closely with the Associational officers, committees, and organizations to help each group determine (1) its opportunities and objectives based on the needs in the churches; (2) its procedures and programs for achieving these objectives.

   c. Keep up-to-date information on population development throughout the area of the Association by means of area religious surveys; watch for mission needs, carefully studying areas with potential opportunities for new missions and churches with the assistance of the churches in said areas; make necessary recommendations to the Association or Associational Board concerning the location and purchase of property for new work within the area; to enlist the support of an already established church to sponsor new work.

   d. Encourage churches to extend their witness through new ministries such as day care centers, juvenile rehabilitation programs, prison work, etc.

   e. Assist the Associational organization heads in the development of annual and long-range objectives; set goals and make plans for their attainment.

   f. Correlate the work of all organizations and committees of the Association and publish a calendar of activities.

   g. Supervise the Associational staff (when such staff is employed) in their assigned tasks.

   h. Have general oversight of purchasing equipment and supplies within the approved budget, after having presented request to the Executive Committee in its monthly meeting.

   i. Help establish a rapport between the various organizations and groups within the Association in reference to policies and procedures by working closely with committee chairmen, by properly and unprejudicially conveying the actions and recommendations to the Executive Committee or Associational Board or to the Association in session.

   j. Inform State and Southern Convention agencies of needs, problems and protentialities within the Association.

   k. Keep abreast and well informed of all new programs of the State and the SBC and make himself available for the interpreting of such programs to the churches within the Associational area.

2. Counselor-Shepherd

   At the request of church leaders he shall counsel with leaders and/or churches with reference to (1) programs and procedures in their churches; (2) calling a pastor or other staff member (he shall not make recommendations to churches within the Associational area unless requested to do so); (3) actual or threatened breach of fellowship; (4) church objectives and policies; (5) assist pastors and others in counseling those who are called into church-related vocations.

3. In The Churches

   a. He shall establish an harmonious working relationship between himself and the pastor and leaders of the churches within the Associational area by the following means: (1) Systematic visitation of services of the Associational churches; (2) pulpit supply; (3) study courses; (4) missionary addresses; (5) teaching in Sunday School; (6) special day addresses; (7) ordination services; (8) planning and leading of Vacation Bible Schools; (9) revival meetings; (10) stewardship emphasis (for items 2-10 any remuneration received shall be considered that of the Director of Missions for services rendered unless otherwise instructed by the remunerator); (11) Deacons meetings, if requested to attend by the chairman; (12) assembly programs; (13) interpret phases of associational work, particularly when new work is being proposed for the association and especially to new churches and missions; (14) planning budgets; (15) planning buildings; (16) presenting Associational objectives and long-range plans; (17) evaluating for churches, at their request, associational curriculum, procedures, constitution and by-laws.

4. In The Association Office

   a. Personal correspondence, promotional mail and telephoning pertinent to his work. (The Director of Missions shall be expected to set up and maintain specific office hours - approximately four hours per day.)

b. Office conferences, answers to inquires, etc.

c. Assist Associational officers, committees and the organizational heads to get out promotional mail pertinent to their work (clerical work by the Director of Missions shall be kept to a very minimum and with the approval of the Association a secretary on at least a part-time basis shall be employed, upon the Executive Committee's approval.)

5. Reports

Reports shall be made to the Executive Committee monthly and to the Associational Board quarterly. Said reports to include the work activities of the Director of Missions including office hours kept, meetings conducted and/or attended, churches attended, church services participated in, days spent on the field, miles traveled, conferences held, etc. These reports should be distributed in mimeographed form at least. quarterly.

POLICY STATEMENT:

The Director of Missions and the Association should have a clear understanding of policies vital to their relationship.

1. Term of service.

According to By-Law X the Director of Missions shall be recommended by the Executive Committee and elected by the Association or the Associational Board. He shall be called on the same basis that a church pastor is normally called for service. The Director of Missions service may be terminated either by himself after having given at least ninety days notice or by the Associational Board after a ninety days notice has been given. In the event the Association finds it necessary to terminate the services of the Director of Missions, he shall be paid thirty days severance pay.

2. The salary of the Director of Missions shall be recommended by the Finance Committee and adopted by the Association in its annual meeting. Fringe benefits and/or expense accounts shall also be stipulated in the annual budget of the Association. Honorariums shall be handled as previously described in Item III, section3, points 2-10.

3. Method of Salary Control.

The Finance Committee shall give careful study to the work of the Director of Missions at the close of each year, the existing economy, increases in the Missionary's expenses, etc., and shall recommend necessary adjustments in salary.

4. The Director of Missions will be granted two weeks vacation annually. In addition, he shall have one designated day per week off from his work, said day to be other than Sunday or Wednesday. The Association agrees that the Missions Director will have the necessary time involved to attend denominational meetings, such as Vacation Bible School clinics, annual Mission Superintendents' conferences, Southern Baptists and State Conventions, the State Evangelistic Conferences, etc., provided conditions in the Association permit and attendance at said Conferences are approved by the Executive Committee.

5. Revival

The Missions Director may not accept more than three weeks of services each year which require him to be away from the field of service. He may accept any number of revivals within the Association, provided this does not interfere with his normal work.

6. Sick Leave

It shall be understood that the salary of the Director of Missions shall be paid during the time when he may incur normal sicknesses, being confined either to his home or the hospital. In case of prolonged illness, 90 days or more, the Executive Committee shall confer with the Director of Missions and his physician if necessary to ascertain the probable extent of the time the Director shall be unable to perform his duties, upon the basis of that information they shall make recommendations to the Associational Board.

PROGRAM

Theme: "Share His Love Now"

Tuesday, October 22, 1974

3:30	Registration	
4:00	Worship	Dr. Forrest C. Feezor
4:20	Organization and Order of Business	
	Welcome Recognition of Visitors Introduction of New Workers	Glenn Murphy
4:30	Moderator's Address	Billy C. Beaver
4:50	Hymn	
4:55	Reports and Miscellaneous Business	
	Treasurer	Mrs. J. E. Helms
	Finance Committee	Charles N. Cranford
	Executive Committee	Elliott Loftin
	Committee on Committees	Coy H. Dellinger
	Nominating Committee	Coy H. Dellinger
	Program Committee	Melvin D. Rabb
5:15	Scripture Reading and Prayer	Guy P. Helms
	Message in Music	Mrs. James F. Tipton
	Annual Sermon	Charles N. Cranford
6:00	Benediction	Bill Cook
	Supper	
7:00	Worship	Dr. Forrest C. Feezor
7:20	Testimony	U Chit Khin
7:40	Special Music	Associational Youth Choir
7:50	Director of Missions' Address	James B. McQuere
8:10	Hymn	
8:15	Special Music	Associational Youth Choir
8:25	Address	Dr. A. Douglas Aldrich Pastor, First Baptist Church Gastonia, N. C.
9:00	Benediction	Don Willis

Wednesday, October 23, 1974

9:30	Worship	Dr. Forrest C. Feezor
9:50	Christian Education	
	Campbell College	Rodney Beals
	Chowan College	Bobby S. Cross
	Gardner-Webb College	Dr. E. Eugene Poston
	Mars Hill College	Robert A. Melvin
	Wake Forest University	Dr. Emmett W. Hamrick
	Wingate College	Harry Sherwood
10:25	Hymn	
10:30	Baptist Foundation	Edwin S. Coates
10:40	Christian Literature	Woodrow W. Hill
10:50	Children's Homes	J. Parker McLendon
11:00	Homes for the Aging	William A. Poole
11:10	Hospital	Gerald N. Hewitt
11:20	South Mountain Camp	T. A. Lineberger
11:30	Hymn	
11:35	Election of Officers and Miscellaneous Business	
11:45	Memorial Service	William Justice
11:55	Message in Music	Mr. & Mrs. Kennith D. Adams
12:00	Address – "CHRISTIAN LOVE IN ACTION"	Roy J. Smith Director Town & Country & Church Extension N. C. Baptist State Convention
12:30	Benediction	Lee Roy Smith

Lunch

Officers

Moderator	Billy C. Beaver
Vice-Moderator	Coy H. Dellinger
Clerk	Mrs. J. E. Helms
Music Director	Kennith D. Adams
Parliamentarian	Charles H. Ingle
Director of Missions	James B. McQuere

PROCEEDINGS

October 22, 1974

The ninety-sixth annual session of the South Fork Baptist Association was called to order by Moderator, Billy C. Beaver, at 4:00 p.m.

Kennith D. Adams led the congregation, with Miss Judy Friday at the piano, in singing "We Praise Thee, O God, Our Redeemer."

"Worship" was the theme for the worship period led by Dr. Forrest C. Feezor, Shelby, N. C.

Melvin Rabb made the following motion: I move you, sir, that the messengers now registered and those who shall yet register shall constitute the ninety-sixth session of the South Fork Baptist Association. Motion carried.

Melvin Rabb made the following motion: I move you, sir, that the program as printed with whatever changes may become necessary shall be the order of business for this ninety-sixth annual session. Motion carried.

Visitors recognized were Mrs. Helderman, Gaston Association; Rev. & Mrs. Henry Ikerd, Dallas.

Charles Ingle welcomed the association on behalf of the host church.

Alvin Hoyle recognized and welcomed the following new pastors into our association: Bill R. Cook, Piney Grove; Dale W. Holden, Reepsville; William Painter, Macedonia; Lee Roy Smith, Southside; Don Willis, Sharon; and Aaron Wylie, Oak Grove.

Moderator at this time turned the Chair over to Vice-Moderator.

Coy H. Dellinger presiding, recognized Billy C. Beaver for the Moderator's address.

The Moderator's address by Billy C. Beaver was a challenging one. "We need a closer fellowship." Some specific needs we as individual Christians and churches need: a Vision; willing hands; must recognize the importance of the Kingdom of Heaven; obedience to God, and must be willing to acquire his Cross and bear it.

Kennith D. Adams led the congregation in the singing of "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus."

The following reports were presented and adopted: Treasurer (page 16) Mr. J. E. Helms; Finance Committee (page 8) Charles N. Cranford; Executive Committee (page 7-8) Elliott Loftin; Committee on Committees (page 6) James F. Collette; Nominating Committee (page 12) Billy Hoffman. These reports are found in the Book of Reports.

Program Committee report by Melvin Rabb. We recommend:

> That the ninety-seventh annual meeting shall be held with Olivet Church on the first day; and with Mount Anderson Church on the second day. We further recommend: that Guy P. Helms preach the annual sermon and that Alvin L. Hoyle shall be the alternate. Adopted.

James B. McQuere moved the remaining reports in the 1974 Book of Reports be adopted with whatever corrections may be necessary. Motion carried.

B. J. Morris presented the following resolution:

WHEREAS we, the 96th Annual Session of the South Fork Baptist Association, recognizing that there is much so-called adult entertainment available throughout North Carolina which goes beyond what is reasonably acceptable according to contemporary standards of our communities; and that the crass commercial exploitation of explicit sexual conduct through the public exhibition of lewd films, books, magazines, etc. constitutes a debasement and distortion of a sensitive key relationship of human existence, central to family life, community welfare, and the development of human personality; is indecent and offensive to the senses and interferes with the interest of the public in the quality of life and total community environment, the tone of commerce in the city; property values, and the public safety; and that the continued operation of such activities is detrimental to the best health, safety, convenience, good morals, and the general welfare of our communities;

THEREFORE, be it resolved that we the undersigned hereby declare our support of the Christian Action League of North Carolina, Inc. in their effort to obtain strong anti-obscenity laws for North Carolina;

And encourage our legislators to assist in every way in passing such anti-obscenity laws as quickly as possible;

And we especially favor procedures which abate as public nuisances those places which repeatedly deal in obscenity and lewdness as a regular practice, as we exhort all public officials throughout North Carolina to do all that is necessary to rid our State of these corrupting influences with all due haste.

ADOPTED 10/22/74 (date)

Billy C. Beaver (Moderator)

Helen S. Helms (Clerk)

Adopted by unanimous vote.

Charles Ingle gave instructions at this time for the evening meal.

Scripture reading, Revelation 21: 9 - 14 and prayer by Guy P. Helms.

Message in Music by Mrs. James F. Tipton. "He Just Loves Me More and More," "Until You've Known the Love of God." She was accompanied at piano by Miss Judy Friday.

Annual sermon was delivered by Charles N. Cranford. Theme "Share His Love Now."

Bill Cook led in the benediction and blessing of the evening meal.

The evening session was called to order by Coy H. Dellinger, Vice-Moderator at 7:00 p. m.

Kennith D. Adams led the congregation in singing "O Worship the King."

Dr. Forrest C. Feezor led the worship period, the theme, "Worship God" scripture Revelation 22:8. Worship is requested, restricted and rewarded. Closed by asking all ordained pastors and deacons to join in prayer at the alter.

Robert A. Cantwell introduced U Chit Khin for his testimony.

Coy H. Dellinger advised 146 messengers, 37 visitors, a total of 183 registered.

Special music by the associational youth choir directed by Kennith D. Adams, accompanied at the piano by Harold Caldwell, Jr., on the flutes, Miss Sherry Smith and Miss Shasta Ward. Songs they sang were "The Father Loves You," "Rejoice and Be Glad" and "All the Rest is Up to You."

The Director of Missions address by James B. McQuere. Advised this is the 8th year he was priviledged to appear before this association in his position. Many things have come to pass and there is much to do "Now". The first priority before us is the erecting of an associational office on the piece of property purchased on the 150 by-pass. He challenged everyone to be confident because we are God's people and he said He will supply our needs. Let's "Share His Love NOW."

Kennith D. Adams led the congregation in singing "We'll Work Till Jesus Comes."

The associational youth choir, directed by Kennith Adams, with Harold Caldwell, Jr., at the piano, sang "I Will Proclaim His Name With a Song" and "Give Me A Vision,"

James B. McQuere introduced Dr. A. Douglas Aldrich, pastor of First Baptist Church, Gastonia, who brought the evening address. Dr. Aldrich read scripture from Matthew 28:18-20 using the theme "The Why of Sharing Christ Love Now".

Registration for today 242.

Benediction delivered by Don Willis.

October 23, 1974

The session was called to order by Vice-Moderator at 9:30 a.m.

Kennith D. Adams accompanied by Mrs. Barbara Davis at the piano, led the congregation in singing "Come, Thou Almighty King."

Dr. Forrest C. Feezor led in the worship period using the theme "True Worship" reading various scripture passages. Closed by congregation standing with arms lifted to the Heavens worshipping God in prayer.

Loyd J. Spencer welcomed the association on behalf of the host church and gave instructions for the noon meal.

Coy Dellinger announced J. W. Crouse is in the hospital and asked D. Harding Caldwell to offer a prayer on his behalf.

The following spoke regarding Christian Higher Education:

Dr. Donald Keyser for Campbell College
Bobby S. Cross for Chowan College
Dr. Emmett W. Hamrick for Wake Forest University
Harry Sherwood for Wingate College
Dr. E. Eugene Poston for Gardner-Webb College
Robert A. Melvin for Mars Hill College

Kennith D. Adams led the congregation in singing "My Hope is Built on Nothing Less."

Edwin S. Coates spoke concerning Baptist Foundation.

Robert A. Cantwell spoke concerning Christian Literature.

J. Parker McLendon spoke concerning Children's Homes.

George Williamson spoke concerning Homes for the Aging.

Gerald N. Hewitt spoke concerning the Baptist Hospital.

T. A. Lineberger spoke concerning South Mountain Camp.

Kennith D. Adams led congregation in singing "I Will Sing the Wondrous Story."

Charles Ingle nominated Coy H. Dellinger for Moderator, Mr. McQuere took the chair, Joe Drum moved nominations be closed. Elected by acclamation. Mr. McQuere presented the gavel to Coy Dellinger.

Charles N. Cranford nominated Elliott Loftin for Vice-Moderator. Elected by acclamation.

James B. McQuere nominated Mrs. James E. Helms for reelection as Clerk and Treasurer. Elected by acclamation.

Coy H. Dellinger reported the following appointed to serve on Committee on Committees: Paul Hilton, Lawing's Chapel, three years; Charles Ingle, Faith, three years; and James F. Collette, Craig Memorial as Chairman.

Mrs. Joe Drum presented the following report of the Resolutions Committee which was adopted:

> For every blessing so bountifully bestowed upon us by our Heavenly Father, we, the messengers of the ninety-sixth annual session of the South Fork Baptist Association pause to praise Him from whom all blessings flow.
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> We are grateful for His blessing upon our labors.
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> We are grateful for our churches and their continued support and cooperation.
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> We are grateful for those who have planned the program and for each one who has participated.
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> We are grateful for our leaders and especially do we express our thanks to the moderator, Billy C. Beaver, who has unselfishly given his time and service.
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> We are grateful to the people of Faith and David Memorial Churches for their gracious hospitality and generosity in entertaining the messengers of this ninety-sixth session.
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> We leave with the prayer that His goodness to us shall motivate us to Share His Love Now with all people.

William Justice led in the Memorial Service to those of our association who have passed away during the year by reading from the Scriptures Revelation 7:9-17 and closed in prayer.

D. Harding Caldwell made the motion that the names of the deceased be printed in the Book of Reports. Motion carried.

Special music by Kennith D. Adams accompanied by Stero tape recorded music, sang "Share His Love."

Roy J. Smith, Director of Town and Country and Church Extension, North Carolina Baptist State Convention, brought the closing address. His theme "Christian Love In Action," scripture reading Acts 2:42 and John I:13.

Lee Roy Smith led in the benediction and thanks for the noon meal.

Attendance first day: 242; second day 186; total of 428.

WRITTEN REPORTS FOR THE 1974 SESSIONS OF THE SOUTH FORK BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

Winfred M. Turner

Supplying the millions of men, women and children who become new readers each year with Scriptures they can understand, is seen by the American Bible Society as one of the most pressing of the many challenges facing it today.

To bring the Word of God to every person in the world has, of course, always been the sole purpose of the Society. To do so it has engaged in hundreds of programs of Scripture translation, publication and distribution by cooperating with churches and agencies that need Scriptures. But even with all these programs, the Bible Society is aware that a large part of the world's people are not being reached, those whose ability is new or marginal.

Now there is GOOD NEWS FOR NEW READERS, a unique and extensive program that will provide special Scripture Literacy Selections on five graded levels, in 200 languages. It will enable millions of people to read the Word of God for themselves, as well as other reading material, for the first time, thus providing a basis for a more abundant life.

In behalf of the Southern Baptist Convention and several of its state and local organizations, the American Bible Society has produced 16 special Scripture editions totaling over 3 million copies in 1973.

More than 249 million Scriptures - - Bibles, New Testaments, Portions and Selections - - were distributed during 1973 by the members of the United Bible Societies. The world total is up by 14.1 percent over 1972, largely due to phenomenal Scripture distribution efforts in Bangladesh, Colombia, Costa Rica, Indonesia, Nicaragua, Nigeria, the Philippines, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Tanzania, and Venezuela.

In the United States, the total Scripture distribution was over 117 million - - a bit less than the 1972 all-time record.

ANNUITY BOARD

Charles Moseley

The Southern Baptist Convention Annuity Board paid out a record nearly $16 million in retirement and protection benefits during 1973. This means that in the Board's history, it has now paid out over $100 million in retirement and protection benefits.

More than 9,000 retired pastors and other church-related vocational workers or their widows receive the benefits.

In addition, the Annuity Board set another record. This one was for funds held in trust for those participating in retirement and protection plans while still in active service. About 38,000 pastors, other church staff and denominational agency employees are included.

Funds held in trust exceeded $350 million for the first time, President Darold H. Morgan reported.

The Board issued another 13th Check, or extra benefit, for annuitants shortly before Christmas 1973. It amounted to two extra months. worth of benefits and totaled $1,187,379. The 13th Check helps annuitants, whose benefits are fixed, to meet the rising cost of living. Payment of the 13th Check is over and above the 12 contracted monthly benefits and depends from year to year on investment income.

Board officials and national market experts expected the investment picture to brighten in 1974 after a poor performance in the general stock market in 1973 resulted in a deep cut in income from investments. Investment income declined to $10 million in 1973 after hitting a record of more than $22 million the year before.

The Board's decline in equity, or stock, investments paralleled the decline in the market generally, which affected all other types of investors as well. The major market indicators - - Dow Jones, Standard and Poor, and Value Line - - all were down during the year.

By comparison, the Board's investments in mortgage loans and real estate leasebacks proved to be profit-making for the year. In an effort to continue earning from real estate investments, the Board announced a new type of Plan C investment called land equity loans. Plan C is the Board's variable benefit plan, which supplements the basic retirement program, called Plan A, for ministers.

Additional information on the Annuity Board may be secured from Development Office, SBC Annuity Board, 511 North Akard Building, Dallas, Texas 75201.

ASSOCIATIONAL BOARD
Billy C. Beaver

The Associational Board held four meetings during the year. It took the following actions.

1. We have acquired the property from Massapoag Church and it is now registered in the name of the trustees of the association.

2. We have appointed a Centennial Committee of seven persons. They have been instructed to recommend plans for 1978, the Centennial year of the association.

3. We have approved the proposed budget for 1974-1975.

BAPTIST FOUNDATION

George DeLozier

Realizing that one of the greatest sources of loss to the cause of Christ has been the death of Christians who leave their estates to heirs indifferent to Christ and His claims, Baptist of North Carolina, meeting in convention in 1919, authorized the establishment of the North Carolina Baptist Foundation, Inc. It was chartered in 1920 by the State as an agency whose duties included cultivation of Living Memorials, through gifts in life and in the writing of Christian wills, and to administer such funds in behalf of the donor supporting any or all Baptist work, locally or convention-wide.

Today, as during its early years, the North Carolina Baptist Foundation's Board of Directors is keenly conscious of the need of an enduring financial support for Baptist institutions and agencies.

The value of Foundation assets is approaching two million dollars. During 1973-74, the Foundation received gifts amounting to $150,310.15. A major portion of these gifts was for the establishment of annuity trust funds, providing income to the donor or his survivor, with the residual beneficiary to be a Baptist institution, agency, or cause. 10.08% of all gifts received during the year will eventually benefit SBC causes beyond the State.

Income distributed by the Foundation this year amounted to $47,858.74. Approximately $6,700.00 of income was reinvested by the Foundation in accordance with instructions from the donors.

There are various services offered by the Foundation, with two major ones being, the Life Income Trust and the Charitable Remainder Annuity Trust. Other services will be upcoming in the near future. Please contact Mr. Edwin S. Coates, Executive Secretary, The N. C. Baptist Foundation, Inc., P. O. Box 26508 Raleigh, N. C. 27611 or phone: 919-833-1605, if the Foundation can serve you.

CHILDREN'S HOMES

Loyd Spencer, Jr.

Christian child care is a shared adventure. We proceed by faith to build a helping relationship with children and their families in need. We cannot know in advance the final outcome, but we are confident of God's power to work in these relationships for reconciliation and healing.

Much has happened this year to strengthen the foundations for our ministry of child care. The recreation and administration buildings at Broyhill Home are nearing completion. A cottage and two staff residences at Kennedy Home will soon be dedicated. A challenge gift of $100,000 has been received for the development of Greer-Burris

Home at Chapel Hill.

"The Mountain Within", a thirty-minute 16mm sound picture, has been filmed to tell the story of the Children's Homes. It was premiered at the piedmont area Conference September 12. Following extensive use on statewide television broadcasts, it was released for showings to churches, associations, civic clubs, and other interested groups October 1. Place your order for the film through the Department of Communications of the Baptist State Convention.

Our Piedmont Area services have expanded significantly during the past year. Mills Home continues to provide the highest quality group care to more than two hundred school age children. Wall Home has pioneered with an exciting out-door high-adventure program for a group of teenage boys. Our first Emergency Care Home opened in Burlington, May 21, and a similar home will be opened in Charlotte before the end of the year. These two homes represent a cooperative venture with the Mount Zion and Mecklenburg Associations to provide emergency care on the local scene. New foster homes have been licensed and have increased the number of foster home children in care.

The continuing good will and generous support of our friends throughout the State make this possible vigorous and progressive ministry of child care. During the past year, North Carolina Baptists gave more than a million dollars to Christian child care in the North Carolina Baptists Children's Homes through the Cooperative Program, the Thanksgiving offering, and designated gifts and offerings. Rising costs and the need for expanding services challenge all of us - staff and supporters - to continue our investment in the shared adventure of Christian child care.

CHRISTIAN ACTION LEAGUE

Hartwell E. Condrey

The Christian Action League has been very active this year. They led last fall in the defeat of the liquor-by-the-drink referendum by an almost 2 to 1 vote over the state.

During the year there were a number of new task forces organized. These groups are going to study and report what can be done about prison reform, highway safety, alcohol and drug control laws, tax reforms, capital punishment, advertising of alcohol in news media and television, obscenity and pornography.

At the present time the CAL is headed for court with a pornography campaign. So let us all support the CAL with our prayers and our funds to carry on this work.

CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION

Charles H. Ingle

While churches and colleges are not identical in their purposes, Baptist churches and

Baptist colleges in North Carolina do their work in an atmosphere of mutual appreciation. This active partnership includes Baptist Youth Corps, student-led worship and revival services, visits to the campuses by pastors and other leaders, participation of faculty and staff in associational and local church programs, and special projects of promotion on behalf of the Cooperative Program.

Your seven Baptist colleges are grateful for the continuing financial support which they receive through the Cooperative Program. During 1974, approximately $2,350,000 will undergird the work of North Carolina Baptist colleges. At a very crucial and difficult time, these funds make a tremendous difference in the quality of programs offered by our schools.

The colleges make a special effort to recruit North Carolina Baptist students through pastors and superintendents of missions. No qualified student will be turned away simply because of inability to pay. Baptist colleges are anxious to enroll the young people from our churches.

After 20 years of effective leadership, Dr. Budd E. Smith resigned the presidency of Wingate College. On June 1, Dr. Thomas E. Corts of Georgetown, Kentucky assumed the presidency of the seventy-eight year old institution. Dr. Corts, the eleventh president of Wingate College, came to this position with excellent preparation and experience.

Our colleges - - Campbell, Chowan, Gardner-Webb, Mars Hill, Meredith, Wake Forest and Wingate - - work together and with the Baptist State Convention through the Council on Christian Higher Education. The Council office is eager to assist both the churches and the colleges in the promotion of understanding and cooperation as together they deal creatively with persons in the name of our Lord.

CHRISTIAN LITERATURE
Paul U. McAlpin

The BIBLICAL RECORDER is grateful for another good year, although these are difficult days for religious publications. Some have had to go out of business while others are squeezed by rising costs. The RECORDER has not escaped the pressures of inflation. For example, paper has risen 61 per cent already this year - - and the end is not in sight.

Even so, the RECORDER has been in business for 141 years and expects to continue. A few changes have to be made, however, to keep the paper strong. As staff members have resigned or retired, they have not been replaced. Some weeks the number of pages has to be reduced to save money, but readers have been very understanding.

Despite some problems, the RECORDER is enjoying its highest circulation in history

- - more than 111,000 - - thanks to the continuing support of the vast majority of Baptist churches in the state. These churches and their members remember the part the RECORDER played in the overwhelming defeat of liquor by the drink last November. This is probably the most significant story that the RECORDER has reported since the associations met last year. You will remember that approximately 70 per cent of the voters in the state voted against liquor by the drink and it was defeated in 97 of 100 counties. This should take care of this issue for awhile.

The RECORDER will continue its emphasis on local church coverage, seeking to deal with problems that every church has. Naturally, we are prejudiced, but we do not believe any publication can take the place of the BIBLICAL RECORDER. If your church does not send it to every family, may we ask a simple question: Why? At a cost of only a nickel a week for each family, this is the best investment a Baptist Church can make. Put the RECORDER in the budget before it has to increase the rate because of inflation.

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

Coy H. Dellinger

Executive Committee
- Three years - Melvin D. Rabb — E. Z. Willis
- Chairman - Elliott Loftin

Finance Committee
- Two years - J. M. Sherrill
- Three years - Billy C. Beaver — Bob Hawley
- Chairman - Alvin L. Hoyle

Missions Committee
- Two years - B. J. Morris
- Three years - Charles N. Cranford — Albert C. Helms, Jr.
- Chairman - Charles N. Cranford

Nominating Committee
- Two years - Robert A. Cantwell
- Three years - William Justice — Kennith D. Adams
- Chairman - Floyd T. Kirksey

Program Committee
- Two years - Mrs. Wayne Johnson
- Three years - Donald L. Ballenger — Mrs. Earl F. Armstrong
- Chairman - D. Harding Caldwell

Evangelism Committee

One Year - Fred Hawkins, Sr.
Three Years - Grady Bumgarner
Chairman - Floyd Bennett

Ordination Committee

Three Years - Fred A. Carpenter Lee Roy Smith
Chairman - Guy P. Helms

Resolutions Committee

Three years - Parks C. Harris
Chairman - Paul U. McAlpin

Stewardship Committee

Three Years - J. W. Crouse
Chairman - Joe D. Drum

Christian Life Committee

Three years - Loyd Spencer
Chairman - Harold L. Brown

EVANGELISM

B. J. Morris

The continuing response of youth and adults to Lay Evangelism Schools has been significant. In the past thirty months 11,032 youth and adults have shared in this lay witness training from 855 churches and 44 associations. Also, 107 pastors from nine other Associations have participated in Pastor's Retreats dealing with Lay Evangelism Schools.

"SHARING HIS LOVE AND SPIRIT" was the theme of the 28th Statewide Evangelism Conference at War Memorial Auditorium, Greensboro, February 4 - 6, 1974. Over 2,400 pastors and lay persons heard excellent speakers emphasize various phases of evangelism.

God is greatly blessing the evangelistic ministry of our three summer youth evangelism teams. Nine college students are leading in music, preaching in youth revivals, and directing youth witness training sessions among 27 churches from Pisgah Forest to Edenton. Boger City Baptist Church had a Youth Revival August 2-9, 1974 with a Summer Youth Evangelism Team conducting the services. Other churches are encouraged to use the Youth Teams in their churches.

Youth Ministries Week was held at the North Carolina Baptist Assembly during June 10 - 14 for about 700 youth and adults with the emphasis on evangelism, vocational guidance and recreation.

About 15,000 youth, pastors, and adult leaders will attend the 4th Statewide Youth

Evangelism Night. August 16, at the Greensboro Coliseum. Richard Hogue, evangelist Houston, Texas, is the guest preacher and Darcy and Sharon Hodges are the guest soloists. Christian youth continue to share a strong witness for Jesus Christ across our State.

The Association Evangelism Conference was held on February 26 at the First Baptist Church, Maiden. The theme was "The Love of God."

Let us rejoice in the leadership of the Holy Spirit in wonderful revival meetings, city-wide crusades, and evangelism clinincs during the past years.

The 29th Statewide Evangelism Conference will be at War Memorial Auditorium, Greensboro, during February 3 - 5, 1975.

Remember to pray daily for the work of evangelism in all the churches of our state, nation and world.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
Elliott Loftin

The Executive Committee met each month where a quorum was present. The financial reports and activities of the Director of Missions were reviewed at each meeting.

Applications for Christian Vocational Students at Gardner - Webb College were approved for the following students: Alan Bandy, Maiden, First: Grady Bumgarner, Long Shoals; J. David Chapman, Sharon; Dewey Crouse, Jr., Macedonia; Rickey Josey, Mt. Ruhama; William Underwood, Maiden, East; Wayne Williamson, Salem; Ronald E. Lynch, Mountain View; Robert Norman III, Hull's Grove.

We authorized the attendance of the Moderator and Director of Missions at a National Convocation on Associational Work at Ridgecrest.

We nominated D. Harding Caldwell, Coy H. Dellinger, Elliott Loftin and Truitt Beard for a vacancy on the General Board of the Baptist Convention for our region.

We authorized the attendance of the associational clerk at Ridgecrest for a clerk's workshop.

We approved the erection of a sign on the property in Lincolnton.

The books were audited and found to be in order.

We have requested the following churches to entertain the Associational Board during the coming year: Sharon, Hudson Chapel, Oak Grove and Long Shoals.

FINANCE COMMITTEE PROPOSED BUDGET 1974 - 75

Charles N. Cranford

Item	Proposal
Director of Missions Salary	$ 8,600.00
Car Allowance	2,000.00
Denominational Meetings	600.00
Retirement Plan	860.00
Hospital Insurance	601.00
Life Insurance	416.00
Home Utilities	725.00
Home Telephone	105.00
Home Upkeep & Repair	500.00
Office Supplies, Postage	1,200.00
Office Rent	420.00
Office Utilities	325.00
Office Telephone	300.00
Office Secretary	2,400.00
Christmas Bonuses	225.00
Insurance	150.00
Clerk	250.00
Treasurer	250.00
Annual Meeting	200.00
Social Security	644.00
Annuals	200.00
Sunday School	100. 00
Church Training	100. 00
W. M. U.	500.00
Brotherhood	100.00
Music	50.00
Audio Visual Aids	100.00
Evangelism Committee	100.00
Missions Committee	600.00
Miscellaneous	300.00
TOTAL	$22,921.00

FOREIGN MISSIONS

Nathan L. May

As of August 1, 1974, the overseas Missionary staff was 2577 in 80 countries.

This staff included: 2237 Career Missionaries; 187 Missionary Associates; 150 missionary Journeymen; 3 Special Project.

The lifeline of Foreign Missions is your gifts through the Cooperative Program and to the Lottie Moon Christmas offering. In 1973 we increased our Cooperative Program gifts by 12% and the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering by 6%.

Your continued support - - praying, giving and going is vital to meeting the needs around the world.

HISTORY
Mrs. Harmon James

ANTIOCH - Ordained William Painter September 15, 1974.
FAITH - Entered new sanctuary. Installed Ernest W. Friday as Pastor Emeritus June 23, 1974.
FELLOWSHIP - Started Children's Church and Preschool. Radio Ministry. Dedicated new educational building, new church steeple and parking lot.
LEONARD'S FORK - Air-conditioned present church and began construction of new Educational Building.
MACEDONIA - Called William Painter as pastor August 11, 1974.
MAIDEN, FIRST - Purchased a new church bus.
MT. ANDERSON - Remodled sanctuary, including air-conditioning and paved parking lot.
MT. RUHAMA - Purchased new activity bus. Pioneer Missions Program helping two missions Baptist Churches in New York.
MT. ZION - Reroofed the sanctuary and painted the entire exterior.
PINEY GROVE - Called Bill R. Cook as pastor.
REEPSVILLE - Called Dale W. Holden as pastor.
RIVER VIEW - Air conditioned the Educational Building and paved new parking lot.
SOUTHSIDE - Called Lee Roy Smith as pastor November 1973.

HOME MISSIONS
Donald W. Ferrell

> "A deep shadow was cast across the nation this past year that underscored the need for spiritual and moral renewal. The positive side, however, is that countering the national developments is a quickening desire among many Christians to seize the opportunity to turn the tide.
>
> "The committed Christian refuses to be swayed by crises that seem to attack him from every direction and threaten to turn him inward instread of toward ministry.
>
> "Possibly there has never been a more challenging time to

serve Jesus Christ and help cross barriers with the gospel"

- Arthur B. Rutledge

Some 4,000 persons, including full-time, part-time, and volunteer workers, are helping meet the challenge of the times. The Board's missionary force totaled 2,170 at the year's end, and the balance was comprised of students and volunteers. Missionaries are active in all 50 states, Panama and Puerto Rico. The Board pays the full support of about one third of them and shares in the support of the others with the state conventions. Record Cooperative Program and Annie Armstrong Easter Offerings will enable enlargement of the missionary force and strengthening of all programs.

HOMES FOR THE AGING

Glenn O. Murphy

As a Baptist, among the many vital ministries that you support are your North Carolina Baptist Homes for the Aging. For over 23 years now, you have had a part in serving hundreds of older people and making life much happier and secure for them. You have done so through two very helpful means of income: (1) The Special Offering for the Homes, received on the 3rd Sunday of February each year; (2) The Cooperative Program. Gifts through these two sources have increased from year to year, and offerings for 1974 will perhaps exceed $350,000, providing more than 30% of the budget needed to operate 5 resident Homes and the Nursing Care Unit.

God, through you, has blessed this ministry of our Baptist Homes in a remarkable way, leading you to establish two Homes in Winston-Salem, Resthaven, and the Hayes Home and the Nursing Care Unit, and three other Homes at Albemarle, Hamilton, and Yanceyville. In these Homes, 4 out of every 5 residents depend upon your love gifts and simply could not be cared for without help from you.

Of greatest significance during the past year, has been the decision by the Trustees of the Homes to establish a 6th Home in Western North Carolina, to be located in the city of Asheville on the Pearson Estate, a magnificently beautiful twenty-one acre site, overlooking the city, and with the gorgeous Blue Ridge Mountains in the background. A dedicated group of people in the Western Carolina area have organized the first initial phase of what will become, it is hoped, a major State-Wide fund-raising effort to obtain the necessary money to build this proposed Home, after approval by the General Board, and the Baptist State Convention. Church groups are encouraged to visit the beautiful site on which the proposed Home will be built, and will be served lunch, if an appointment is made in advance.

With the addition of a 6th Home for the Aging, with the spiraling cost of living, and the great and ever increasing needs of older people, it is most urgent that our Baptist people be more generous than ever before in support for the Homes through the regular channels of the 3rd Sunday of February Offering, the Cooperative Program, and an over and above gift for the Western North Carolina Home.

Ministry to an older person is a direct ministry as unto Christ Himself and is most pleasing to Him, we are sure!

North Carolina Baptist have given a good account of their stewardship in their ministry to the aging during these years of a wonderful beginning, and we have the faith that they will continue to move forward in this great area of human concern.

HOSPITAL
Joe D. Drum

In spite of the growth in size and complexity at your Baptist Hospital, the emphasis is still upon "ministering with skill and understanding". Evidence of this is a typical patient's remark recently: "From the head surgeon to the aide who handed me a glass of water, with all the doctors, nurses, people in the business offices and chaplains in between, I was cheerfully given every personal consideration."

Changes and additions continue to be made for the purpose of providing better hospital care. Renovation of the Progressive Care Unit has been completed, and the South and West Wings of the hospital building are now being renovated. Construction of the Ambulatory Care Unit is well under way and is scheduled for completion in the spring, or early summer, of 1975.

New discoveries continue to make possible better medical care. For example, a new EMI-Scanner is to be installed and is expected to be in use before the end of this year. This device, which combines the use of X-rays and computors, will make it possible to detect brain tumors, blood clots, and strokes more accurately and more quickly. Scans can be completed in about 30 minutes and the results can be available in another five minutes. There is no risk or discomfort involved, and the patient does not have to be admitted to the hospital.

New approaches are also being made in the hospital's ministry to the emotional and spiritual needs of people. The Division of Human Enrichment and Development, in the Department of Pastoral Care, is conducting retreats, seminars, and workshops designed to help appropriate the resources of the Christian faith to the various areas and experiences of life. The Pastoral Care Department has also opened its first satellite center, in Fayetteville, to offer counseling and training to people in that area. Your Cooperative Program gifts help to support these ministries.

The School of Nursing graduated its last class in May. The school has been in the process of phasing out for the past three years, as the result of a trustee decision made in 1971.

In January the hospital had its only room rate increase in the past three and one half years. Nevertheless, the hospital continues to operate "in the black". The 1973 Mother's Day Offerings amounted to $375,000. At the time of this writing, our 1974 Mother's Day gifts are running ahead of the same time last year. These gifts are used to

assist patients with the most urgent financial needs. A special committee of five Baptists from the Winston-Salem area assists personnel from the hospital Business Office and the Department of Denominational Relations in administering these funds.

Your hospital staff, and the people they serve, are grateful for your interest, your prayers and your financial support.

MISSIONS COMMITTEE
Donald W. Ferrell

At the present time we are operating a Sunday School at the Lincolnton Housing Authority's Site Five each Sunday afternoon with personnel from several churches. It is our hope that this ministry will continue and that during the coming year we might begin work of a similar nature in several other places.

A word of commendation should be said of First Lincolnton Church. They were responsible for the beginning of this work and at the present time they are probably doing more missions work than anyone else in the association.

Mission Funds

Balance on hand - October 1, 1973		$1,948.83
Receipts:		
From operating budget	600.00	
Interest on savings account	115.28	715.28
		2,664.11
On deposit in savings - Carolina First National Bank		$2,664.11

NOMINATING COMMITTEE
Coy H. Dellinger

Parliamentarian	Charles Ingle
Historian	Mrs. Harmon James
Director of Library Services	Mrs. Reggie Deaton
Trustee	J. M. Sherrill, Chairman
Trustee	Bill Beard
Trustee	Charles R. Estep
Sunday School Director	Foyd Bennett
Church Training Director	James F. Collette
Brotherhood Director	
Music Director	Kennith D. Adams

Special Assignments

American Bible Society	-	William Painter
Annuity Board	-	Albert C. Helms, Jr.
Baptist Foundation	-	Aaron Wylie
Children's Homes	-	Lee Roy Smith
Christian Action League	-	B. J. Morris
Christian Education	-	Grady Bumgarner
Christian Literature	-	Harold L. Brown
Homes for the Aging	-	Donald L. Ballenger
Hospital	-	Guy P. Helms
South Mountain Camp	-	David Rhodes
Stewardship	-	Joe D. Drum
Foreign Missions	-	Don Willis
Home Missions	-	Bill R. Cook
State Missions	-	Dale W. Holden

South Mountain Camp Representatives

Robert Anthony
Bob Hawley
Frank Hoyle
Roy Houk
David Rhodes

Scholarship Commission

Three Years - Joe Nations
Mrs. Maurice L. Canaday
Chairman - Ryan Shelton

ORDINATION COMMITTEE

Glenn O. Murphy

Upon the request of the Churches, the Ordination Committee recommended the following men to be ordained into the Gospel Ministry during the year of 1973 - 74:

Antioch . . . . . William Painter
Salem . . . . . Danny Featherstone, Jr.
Westport . . . . . Stanley Skipper

QUOTAS AND CONTRIBUTIONS

CHURCH	QUOTA 1973 - 74	CONTRIBUTIONS	SUGGESTED QUOTA 1974 - 75*
Amity	700.51	442.00	860.36
Antioch	717.15	750.00	677.74
Bethel	323.91	300.00	411.32
Boger City	1,325.41	1,455.00	1,406.22
Calvary	779.50	758.33	871.10
Cedar Grove	264.44	264.44	281.42

Center View	385.53	385.53	448.69
Coral Park	39.24	-	72.77
Craig Memorial	333.10	822.54	369.17
Crouse	173.02	175.00	209.27
David Memorial	351.38	75.00	354.90
Faith	481.37	481.56	692.18
Fellowship	259.68	619.90	349.48
Friendly Chapel	306.51	-	358.02
Gainsville	597.17	749.05	656.18
Howard's Creek	86.36	50.00	60.80
Hudson Chapel	185.61	180.00	213.89
Hull's Grove	512.17	600.00	592.64
Lawing's Chapel	594.14	350.00	604.77
Leonard's Fork	237.69	237.69	198.61
Lincoln Avenue	893.03	900.00	1,008.90
Lincolnton, First	2,292.29	1,200.00	2,861.06
Lincolnton, North	38.31	-	38.31
Lincolnton, West	248.82	- -	251.39
Long Shoals	325.76	275.00	424.90
Macedonia	667.50	667.50	852.83
Maiden, East	713.56	800.00	I,082.59
Maiden, First	1,664.37	1,634.25	1,792.56
Massapoag	236.39	236.39	280.42
Mathis Chapel	256.94	100.00	269.54
Mt. Anderson	469.67	400.00	564.76
Mt. Ruhama	1,403.76	I,403.76	1,660.53
Mt. Zion	469.35	520.00	494.38
Mountain View	785.21	785.21	835.91
North Brook	332.10	332.10	401.19
Oak Grove	341.22	341.23	379.37
Olivet	409.76	410.00	490.44
Pearl	580.76	530.00	733.01
Piney Grove	344.40	277.00	461.93
Poole's Chapel	205.79	-	205.79
Reepsville	787.13	800.00	924.02
River View	618.10	507.23	794.01
Roseland	115.73	115.73	127.42
Salem	796.04	825.00	972.23
Sharon	296.87	100.00	288.53
Southside	857.64	859.92	871.73
Temple	120.45	120.45	130.52
Westport	325.12	150.00	512.75
	25,249.96	22,986.81	29,400.55

*Based on 1 3/4% of receipts shown on Table G, 1973 Annual.

SCHOLARSHIP COMMISSION
Joe Bondurant

Balance on hand - October 1, 1974		$1,998.16
Receipts:		
Church Contributions	$ 50.00	
Interest	102.22	152.22
Balance on hand - September 30, 1974		$2,150.38

STEWARDSHIP
James F. Collette

More than 5,000 missionaries at home and abroad depend on gifts through the Cooperative Program for a salary each month. Over 3,000 of these have a basic ministry of evangelism, with all of the others using their skills as nurses, teachers, doctors, etc. to meet human needs in order to bring these to Christ. Through the Cooperative Program you are helping the widow, the homeless child, the homeless aged, the sick, plus the ministries of preaching and teaching.

Increasing the percentage given through the Cooperative Program is an excellent follow-through for the special offerings your church receives.

Failure to have a good follow-through, in anything, would be frustrating at the least and tragic at the most. Failure to have a good follow-through when you are fishing would cause all of your fish to get away and this would be frustrating. It would be tragic not to have a good follow-through in a baptismal service.

A good follow-through is the lifeline between good planning and good results. You will get excellent results if you plan well your special offerings and let your major emphasis be on the lifeline: YOUR COOPERATIVE PROGRAM.

Would your church give more if you received more money? If so, you need to have a thorough stewardship program in your church.

Last year 1,236 churches increased Cooperative Program giving by 10 percent or more over what they gave the previous year. Two of the associations in North Carolina had 100 percent of their churches giving through the Cooperative Program in 1973. These two associations were: Flat River and the Tar River.

Will you do four things?

1. Will you lead the church where you serve to increase Cooperative Program and associational mission giving by 10 percent or more?

2. Will you have a special prayer for your missionaries and other Cooperative Program causes during each service in your church during the October Cooperative Program prayer month?

3. Will you send your check for Cooperative Program each month to Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, Post Office Box 26508, Raleigh, North Carolina 27611?

4. Will you help us have a good stewardship workshop in your association next spring or summer, so we can: (1) Study recommendations for pastor and staff salary increases; (2) Get an overview of available program helps for each church in stewardship; and (3) Receive a report on where you are in your goals for associational and Cooperative Program giving?

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT
Charles H. Ingle

The Bible Teaching Program of the church has four significant tasks to be performed: (1) Teach the Biblical Revelation; (2) Reach persons for Christ and church membership; (3) Perform the functions of the church within its membership; and (4) Provide and interpret information concerning the work of the church and denomination.

We had a very fine V.B.S. Clinic at the Boger City Church on April 8, with a fine qualified faculty. There was a conference for each department.

We had a Sunday School Teaching Improvement Clinic at the Boger City Church April 22-23, which we trust proved to be helpful to the Sunday School teachers and officers who attended.

TREASURER'S REPORT
Mrs. J. E. Helms

Beginning Balance - October 1, 1973		$ 2,166.44
Plus Receipts:		
Church Contributions	22,986.81	
N. C. Withholding Tax	240.12	
Annuals	692.20	
Deacons Conference	105.45	
Foreign Missions Conf.	783.51	
Building Fund	4,544.33	
Sales Tax Refund	34.08	29,386.50
Total Cash		$31,552.94

Less Disbursements:

Director of Missions Salary	7,800.00	
Car Allowance	1,800.00	
Denominational Meetings	550.00	
Retirement	780.00	
Hospital Insurance	523.48	
Life Insurance	322.44	
Home Utilities	683.06	
Home Telephone	102.53	
Home Upkeep & Repair	600.00	
Office Supplies, Postage	1,125.93	
Office Rent	420.00	
Office Utilities	404.81	
Office Telephone	250.17	
Office Secretary	2,200.00	
Christmas Bonuses	175.00	
Insurance	109.00	
Clerk	225.00	
Treasurer	225.00	
Annual Meeting	151.92	
Social Security	585.00	
Sunday School	73.73	
Church Training	38.57	
W.M.U.	441.37	
Audio-Visual Aids	55.91	
Evangelism	59.88	
Missions Committee	600.00	
Miscellaneous	230.33	
Annuals	842.40	
Deacons Conference	109.87	
Foreign Missions Conference	879.90	
Building Fund	4,611.00	
N. C. Withholding Tax	240.12	27,216.42

Balance on hand - September 31, 1974 $ 4,336.52

Summary of Cash:	Budget	4,395.84	
	Annuals	7.35	
	Building Fund	(66.67)	
			$4,336.52

BUILDING FUND

State of Receipts and Disbursements

RECEIPTS:

Contributions from the churches

Antioch	225.00	
Bethel	23.45	
Boger City	300.00	
Craig Memorial	25.00	
Faith	78.43	
Fellowship	40.00	
Gainsville	47.62	
Hull's Grove	150.00	
Lawing's Chapel	36.00	
Lincoln Avenue	300.00	
Lincolnton, First	450.00	
Macedonia	65.25	
Maiden, First	58.96	
Massapoag	22.00	
Mt. Anderson	56.05	
Mountain View	183.79	
North Brook	100.00	
Pearl	26.07	
Reepsville	108.26	
Salem	120.42	
Sharon	28.03	
Westport	100.00	2,544.33
Loans - Carolina First National Bank		2,000.00
		4,544.33

DISBURSEMENTS:

Dedmon Survey	260.00	
A.A. Lloyd (Purchase of right of way)	200.00	
Massapoag Baptist Church	2,000.00	
Don M. Pendleton (Attorney Fees)	113.00	
Carolina First National Bank (Repayment of loan and interest)	2,038.00	4,611.00
Balance on hand - September 31, 1974		(66.67)

TRUSTEES REPORT

J. M. Sherrill

The Association has $20,000.00 replacement value insurance on the home, $6,000.00 on contents and 5 and 10 thousand dollars liability.

Assets:

Value of home	$ 20,000.00
Lot on HIghway 150 bypass	3,000.00
Office equipment	1,593.00
Cash - Checking Account	4,336.52
- Savings Account	2,664.11
Total Assets	$31,593.63
Liabilities:	
None	
Net Resources	$31,593.63

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

Mrs. J. E. Helms

On November 8, 1973 the Baptist Women held their Annual Banquet at West Lincoln High School Cafeteria with Mrs. Zebedee V. Moss, Missionary to Zambia as Special Guest.

On March 1, 1974, the B.Y.W. Banquet was held at Carolina Motel Restaurant. Special Speaker was Miss Nancy Curtis, the State BYW Director.

On April 2, 1974 the 65th Annual Meeting was held at Mt. Anderson Church with special music by "The Singing Housewives" and special speaker, Neal L. Peyton, Associate Ministry to the Deaf of N.C.

The Acteens and Girls in Action held their regular quarterly meetings with real good attendance.

In 1974-75 the theme is "Share His Love Now". WMU has two Emphasis "Love they Neighbor" and "TIME" so lets get involved in doing our best for the master.

Officers for 1974-75 are:

Mrs. Earl Armstrong, W.M.U. Director
Mrs. Leonard Wright, Assistant
Mrs. Lander Heafner, Secretary & Treasurer
Mrs. Albert C. Helms, Jr., B.W. Director
Mrs. Richard Williams, Assistant
Mrs. Jim Warlick, B.Y.W. Director
Mrs. Ken Clark, Assistant
Mrs. Charles Schronce, Acteen Director
Mrs. Neal Alexander, Assistant
Mrs. Johnnie Shubert, GA Director
Mrs. Clyde Walker, Assistant
Mrs. Stanley Lanier, Mission Friends Director

IN MEMORIAM

AMITY
Mr. Claude Hoke

ANTIOCH
Mrs. Hattie Clark
Mr. O. P. Ballard

BETHEL
Mrs. Vama Harrill
Mrs. Frances Huss

BOGER CITY
Mrs. Charlie H. Keener
Mr. James B. Mauney
Mrs. Sallie F. Chapman
Mrs. Mattie W. Smith
Mrs. Della B. Self
Mr. Fred Caldwell
Mrs. Charlotte Cline
Mr. Caleb Neal

CALVARY
Mr. Marvin Lineberger, Jr.
Mr. Cecil Vernon

CEDAR GROVE
Mr. J. T. Sigmon

CENTER VIEW
Deacon John Turbyfill

CRAIG MEMORIAL
Mrs. Bessie Bumgarner

DAVID MEMORIAL
Mr. Luther Brooks
Mr. Frank Armstrong

FAITH
Deacon Earnest Helton

FELLOWSHIP
Mrs. Linda P. Sigmon
Mr. David Smith

FRIENDLY CHAPEL
Mrs. Bonnie Thornburg
Mr. Lonnie W. Hager

GAINSVILLE
Mrs. Laura Brackett
Mrs. Mary Williams

HUDSON CHAPEL
Mrs. R. L. Moose

HULL'S GROVE
Mr. James Craig
Mrs. Jolene Richardson

LAWING'S CHAPEL
Deacon C. Dewey Abernathy
Mr. Overy Beal
Mr. Will Beal
Mrs. Bryant Lynch, Sr.

LEONARD'S FORK
Mrs. Dorse Neal
Mr. Roy Gantt

LINCOLN AVENUE
Mrs. Sally Bridges
Mrs. Thelma Gantt

LINCOLNTON, FIRST
Deacon Clyde Lawing
Deacon Leonard Byrd
Mr. William Laney
Deacon Fred Walden
Mr. Frank Kirksey
Miss Katherine Harrill
Deacon Ray Blackburn
Mr. R. L. Bunn
Mrs. Annie Duncan
Mr. Fred Dalrymple

LINCOLNTON, WEST
Mr. Raymond Epley

IN MEMORIAM

LONG SHOALS
- Mrs. Burleen Hoffman

MACEDONIA
- Mrs. Alene Perkins
- Deacon Ed Painter
- Mr. Elvin Cash
- Mr. Tom J. Morgan
- Mrs. Bobbie Painter Richard

MAIDEN, EAST
- Mr. J. S. Abernethy
- Mr. Percy Robinson
- Mrs. Paul Burgess
- Mr. Guy Crouse
- Mrs. David Drum

MAIDEN, FIRST
- Mr. Clyde Frasure
- Mr. Edgar Crow
- Miss Barbara Crow
- Mr. Claude Whitner
- Mrs. Anna Beal
- Mr. John Townsend
- Mrs. Anne Singleton

MATHIS CHAPEL
- Mr. Frank Kirksey
- Mr. Luke Kirksey
- Mr. Carol Laws

MOUNT RUHAMA
- Mr. Arthur B. Campbell
- Mr. Kenneth Ray Sipe
- Mr. Elmer Eugene Bell
- Mr. Edgar Reeves Stallings
- Mrs. Etta A. Caldwell
- Mrs. Mae Fox

MOUNT ZION
- Mrs. Annie Hawkins

MOUNTAIN VIEW
- Deacon Lonnie P. Gilleland
- Mr. William C. Schronce
- Mrs. Lillie Hicks Drum
- Mr. John Worth Shuford
- Mrs. Essie Gilleland Mundy

NORTH BROOK
- Mrs. Frank Grant
- Mrs. Mary Lee Cook
- Mr. Sam White
- Mr. T. Guy Lackey, Sr.
- Mr. Joe Ivester

OLIVET
- Mrs. Mildred Rowe
- Mrs. Cora Saunders
- Mrs. H. O. Eades

PEARL
- Mr. Tom Jenkins
- Mr. Scott Brown
- Mrs. Carrie Grigg
- Mrs. Ferrie Clippard
- Mr. Coy Chronister
- Mr. P. C. Duncan

PINEY GROVE
- Mrs. Martha B. Carroll
- Mr. Clarence Abernethy

REEPSVILLE
- Mrs. Walter Gilbert
- Mr. Russell Lee Helms

RIVER VIEW
- Mrs. Belle Fox Beal
- Mrs. Bertha C. Brown
- Mrs. Lillie Davis
- Mr. Clarence Ramsey

ROSELAND
- Mrs. Annie Lynn
- Mrs. Laura Blackburn

SALEM
- Mrs. W. P. Martin

IN MEMORIAM

SHARON

Mr. Charles A. Crouse
Mrs. Elizabeth Carpenter

SOUTHSIDE

Mr. Jerry Klutz
Mrs. Jerry Klutz
Mrs. E. L. Hight
Mrs. Lillian Summey

HISTORICAL TABLES

Year	Place of Meeting	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher of Annual Sermon
1878	Kid's Chapel	W. A. Graham	J. H. Booth	D. W. Thomasson
1879	Hickory Grove	W. A. Graham	J. G. Hill	T. H. Pritchard
1880	Mount Ruhama	W. A. Graham	J. G. Hill	J. R. Jones
1881	Ezra Mull's Chapel	W. A. Graham	P. M. Mull	J. F. Morris
1882	Salem	W. A. Graham	P. M. Mull	J. K. Faulkner
1883	Mount Zion	J. K. Faulkner	L. A. Abernethy	J. K. Faulkner
1884	Mountain Grove	J. F. Morris	W. W. Bridges	J. F. Morris
1885	Sandy Plains	W. A. Graham	Azor Shell	J. K. Faulkner
1886	Kid's Chapel	W. A. Graham	Robert A. Keever	N. B. Cobb
1887	Macedonia	W. A. Graham	Robert A. Keever	J. F. Morris
1888	Warlick's Chapel	J. F. Morris	J. Thomas McLean	W. R. Gwaltney
1889	Olivet	W. A. Graham	J. Thomas McLean	W. A. Pool
1890	Mount Zion	W. A. Graham	S. A. Stroup	D. P. Bridges
1891	Hickory, First	W. A. Graham	J. Thomas McLean	J. A. Hoyle
1892	Olivet	W. A. Graham	A. W. Setzer	A. W. Setzer
1893	Bruington	C. M. Murchison	J. Thomas McLean	C. M. Murchison
1894	Maiden, First	C. M. Murchison	J. Thomas McLean	E. F. Jones
1895	Newton, First	C. S. Cashwell	L. A. Abernethy	E. F. Jones
1896	Gastonia, First	W. A. Graham	J. R. Lewis	C. S. Cashwell
1897	Kid's Chapel	W. A. Graham	L. A. Abernethy	D. M. Austin
1898	Penelope	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	C. H. Durham
1899	Mount Holly	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	W. R. Gwaltney
1900	Bethel	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	J. L. Vipperman
1901	Olivet	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	W. F. Watson
1902	McAdensville	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	J. W. Watson
1903	Maiden, First	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	W. F. Gwaltney
1904	Hickory, First	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	J. W. Watson
1905	Dallas	W. A. Graham	R. S. Lewis	P. H. Purnell
1906	Lincolnton, First	W. A. Graham	R. S. Lewis	W. H. Reddish
1907	Olivet	W. A. Graham	R. S. Lewis	Baylus Cade
1908	Gastonia, First	W. A. Graham	J. D. Moore	R. D. Carroll
1909	Corinth	W. A. Graham	R. L. Sigmon	J. D. Harte
1910	Mount Zion	Osborne Brown	R. L. Sigmon	A. W. Setzer
1911	Long Creek	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	R. D. Carroll
1912	Maiden, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	I. T. Newton
1913	Mount Holly	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. J. Beach
1914	Macedonia	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. C. Barrett
1915	West Hickory	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. S. Connel
1916	East Gastonia	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. D. Harte
1917	Newton, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	F. M. Huggins
1918	Belmont, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. L. Vipperman
1919	Lincolnton, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. R. Bradshaw
1920	Mountain Grove	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. W. Rimmer
1921	Lawing's Chapel	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. R. Bradshaw
1922	Riber View	J. A. Snow	J. F. Click	H. C. Whitener
1923	Catawba	J. A. Snow	J. F. Click	H. R. Freeman
1924	Penelope	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	C. M. Robinson
1925	Lincolnton, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	T. C. Singleton
1926	Macedonia	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	C. D. Barton
1927	Corinth	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. A. Ivey
1928	Mount Ruhama	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	R. G. Short
1929	Mount Zion	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	E. F. Hardin
1930	Warlick's	Osborne Brown	R. H. Harrill	C. F. Pittman
1931	Maiden, First	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	J. R. Cantrell
1932	Mountain Grove	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	M. I. Harris
1933	Olivet	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	R. K. Redwine
1934	Macedonia	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	W. W. Marr
1935	Providence	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	T. H. Roach
1936	River View	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	W. R. Bradshaw
1937	Catawba	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	E. F. Sullivan
1938	Boger City	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	C. H. Henderson

HISTORICAL TABLES (Continued)

Year	Place of Meeting	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher of Annual Sermon
1939	North Newton	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	L. A. McClure
1940	Lincolnton, First	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	O. C. Ulmer
1941	Mount Ruhama	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	Y. C. Elliott
1942	Penelope	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	H. B. Jones
1943	Maiden, First	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	C. C. Holland
1944	Hickory, First	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	J. Louis Price
1945	Boger City	L. L. Hatfield	R. T. Boatwright	R. C. Shearin
1946	Highland, Newton First	L. L. Hatfield	R. T. Boatwright	R. K. Benfield
1947	Catawba, Macedonia	L. L. Hatfield	R. T. Boatwright	R. G. Mace
1948	Brown Memorial, Olivet	L. A. McClure	R. T. Boatwright	E. F. Sullivan
1949	Center View, Salem	L. A. McClure	Fritz D. Hemphill	L. R. Williams
1950	Lincoln Ave., Warlick's	L. A. McClure	Fritz D. Hemphill	Wyman E. Wood
1951	Mt. Ruhama, W. Hickory	R. K. Benfield	Fritz D. Hemphill	Ben R. Coley
1952	Gainesville, Lawing's Chapel	R. K. Benfield	Fritz D. Hemphill	Harold M. White
1953	Lincolnton, 1st, Mtn. Grove	R. K. Benfield	Fritz D. Hemphill	Victor L. Andrews
1954	Mountain View, Amity	E. F. Sullivan	Fritz D. Hemphill	Harvey Laughter
1955	Penelope, Southside	Fritz D. Hemphill	Miss Helen Cater	Fritz D. Hemphill
1956	River View, Salem	Latt Beshears	Alvin A. Walker	Woodrow D. Flynn
1957	Lincolnton, First, Reepsville	Latt Beshears	Alvin A. Walker	Linwood Peterson
1958	Boger City, Mt. Zion	Latt Beshears	Alvin A. Walker	A. R. Waters
1959	Long Shoals, E. Maiden	J. D. Hillman	Alvin A. Walker	Eddie Reynolds
1960	Lawing's Chapel, Maiden 1st	J. D. Hillman	Alvin A. Walker	Herbert Miller
1961	Lincoln Ave., Southside	Eddie Reynolds	Alvin A. Walker	Wayne Haynes
1962	Mt. Ruhama, Center View	C. H. Greene	Alvin A. Walker	Riley N. Huckaby
1963	East Maiden, Mt. Anderson	C. H. Greene	Alvin A. Walker	R. E. Hicks
1964	Olivet, Leonard's Fork	D. Harding Caldwell	Alvin A. Walker	Fred E. Thompson
1965	Mtn. View, Mt. Zion	D. Harding Caldwell	Alvin A. Walker	R. W. Morrow
1966	Gainesville, Reepsville	Richard E. Hicks	D. Harding Caldwell	Frank Taylor
1967	Lincolnton, First, Antioch	Richard E. Hicks	Robert M. Garrett	Cecil L. Ballard
1968	Salem, Hull's Grove	E. B. Elmore	Mrs. W. F. Henry	E. W. Friday
1969	Maiden, 1st, River View	E. B. Elmore	Mrs. W. F. Henry	Robert M. Garrett
1970	Mt. Ruhama, Boger City	Charles N. Cranford	Mrs. J. B. McQuere	D. Harding Caldwell
1971	Lawing's Chapel, Lincoln Ave.	Charles N. Cranford	Mrs. J. E. Helms	Earl Henry
1972	Amity, Pearl	Earl Henry	Mrs. J. E. Helms	Fred A. Carpenter
1973	East Maiden, Southside	Billy C. Beaver	Mrs. J.E. Helms	Floyd T. Kirksey
1974	Faith, David Memorial	Billy C. Beaver	Mrs. J. E. Helms	Charles N. Cranford

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION YEAR ENDING September 30, 1974 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork
State: North Carolina
Associational Clerk: Mrs. J. E. Helms
Address: P. O. Box 461 City: Maiden State: North Carolina Zip: 28650

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		County	3 Year organized as a church	4 Location	5 Services held twice on Sunday? Y	5 Services held twice on Sunday? N	13 Total Baptisms	14 Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	15 Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	16 Present resident members	17 Present nonresident members	18 Grand total present members	19 No. members received from non Baptist Churches	20 No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	25 Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	26 Value of church property including pastor's home	27 Total church debt at end of this associational year
Amity	Winfred M. Turner, Rt. 1, Denver	28037	Lincoln	1905	1	Y		3	5	6	207	57	264	1	0	0,000	[illegible]	12,670
Antioch	Charles Moseley, Rt.3, Box 752, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1921	1	Y		13	14	15	228	101	329	0	0	40,000	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bethel	Alvin Hoyle, Rt. 5, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1895	1	Y		9	10	13	88	134	[illegible]	0	0	40,000	150,000	0
Boger City	Beeler J. Morris, 2201 E. Main St., Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1922	4	Y		4	13	20	548	69	607	1	10	40,000	325,000	20,000
Calvary	Harold L. Brown, Rt.1, Box 60, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1952	2	Y		16	16	23	280	120	350	0	2	55,000	140,000	4,175
Cedar Grove	George De Lozier, Rt. 2, Maiden	28650	Catawba	1902	1	Y		4	0	5	142	0	142	1	1	15,000	[illegible]	0
Center View	Parks Harris, Rt.3, Box 327-A, Maiden	28650	Catawba	1915	1		N	2	11	19	241	24	265	2	6	35,000	135,000	0
Coral Park																		
Craig Memorial	James F. Collette, Rt.1, Box 168, Stanley	28164	Gaston	1938	1	Y		10	4	3	113	92	205	0	0	34,500	132,250	7,289
Crouse	J. C. Beal, Rt. 2, Box 135, Maiden	28650	Lincoln	1947	2	Y		4	2	9	43	0	43	0	0	0	30,000	0
David Memorial	Loyd J. Spencer, Rt. 6, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1949	1	Y		14	9	6	167	31	198	0	1	0	100,000	28,000
Faith	Charles H. Ingle, Rt.2, Box 387, Iron Station	28080	Lincoln	1905	1	Y		3	13	8	210	50	260	2	1	20,000	[illegible]	73,526
Fellowship	Joe D. Drum, Rt1, Box 264, Denver	28037	Lincoln	1965	1	Y		38	12	7	198	40	238	3	1	0	75,000	65,000
Friendly Chapel	Edwin Sherrill, Rt.1, Box 200-A, Maiden	28650	Lincoln	1948	1	Y		8	5	5	138	24	162	0	2	12,000	[illegible]	0
Gainsville	H. E. Condrey, Rt. 1, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1922	1	Y		9	1	12	232	2	234	0	0	28,000	117,000	0
Howard's Creek	Bobby Nantz, Rt.1, Iron Station	28080	Lincoln	1951	1		N	4	18	0	68	6	74	0	0	0	12,000	0
Hudson Chapel	Paul U. McAlpin, Rt.2, Box 14, Catawba	28609	Catawba	1942	1	Y		0	3	6	87	2	89	0	4	20,000	105,000	0
Hull's Grove	Cecil L. Ballard, Rt.2, Vale	28168	Lincoln	1897	1	Y		18	5	5	318	51	369	2	1	25,000	100,000	0
Lawing's Chapel	Foyd Bennett, Rt. 2, Box 360, Maiden	28650	Catawba	1907	1	Y		5	10	8	241	43	284	0	1	52,000	125,000	0
Leonard's Fork	William Justice, Rt. 1, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1873	1	Y		2	6	2	172	4	176	0	0	30,000	125,000	0
Lincoln Avenue	Albert C. Helms, Jr., P.O.Box 441, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1910	4	Y		22	21	9	382	28	410	6	3	60,000	350,000	7,617
Lincolnton, First	R. A. Cantwell, P. O. Box 714, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1859	4	Y		10	39	31	575	186	761	6	4	40,000	425,000	0
Lincolnton, North	A. L. Whitesides, P.O. Box 141, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1951	7	Y		1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	5,000	13,400	8,000
Lincolnton, West	Leon Davis, Rt.1, Box 527, Iron Station	28080	Lincoln	1954	1	Y		38	7	4	144	0	144	0	0	0	50,000	14,000
Long Shoals	Grady Bumgarner, Rt. 4, Box 514, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1901	2	Y		10	8	9	220	10	230	2	0	32,100	157,000	3,716

Macedonia	William Painter, Rt. 3, Box 550, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1834	1	Y		28	7	13	298	60	358	6	3	45,000	125,000	0
Maiden, East	Melvin D. Rabb, Box 386, Maiden	28650	Catawba	1927	4	Y		6	11	34	418	65	483	2	0	25,000	250,000	0
Maiden, First	Billy C. Beaver, Box 338, Maiden	28650	Catawba	1891	4	Y		11	7	137	525	177	702	2	4	30,000	500,000	3,659
Massapoag	Floyd T. Kirksey, Rt. 6, Box 525, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1952	4	Y		7	1	3	144	6	150	0	0	30,000	85,000	22,300
Mathis Chapel	Bruce Mathis, 111 Charlotte Rd., Lincolnton	28092	Catawba	1951	1	Y		2	6	10	130	12	142	0	0	0	45,687	0
Mt. Anderson	Fred A. Carpenter, Rt. 1, Box 251A, Maiden	28650	Catawba	1953	1	Y		14	7	10	292	10	302	0	0	65,000	222,000	17,000
Mt. Ruhama	Donald W. Ferrell, Rt. 2, Newton	28658	Catawba	1816	1	Y		25	9	21	564	66	630	7	4	36,000	325,000	0
Mt. Zion	Don L. Ballenger, Box 330, Rt.1, Alexis	28006	Lincoln	1869	1	Y		5	1	6	171	15	186	0	0	18,000	82,000	0
Mountain View	D. Harding Caldwell, Rt.1, Box 216A, Maiden	28650	Catawba	1854	1	Y		7	4	9	275	41	316	1	1	40,000	200,000	0
North Brook	Coy H. Dellinger, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	Lincoln	1913	1	Y		3	1	11	175	89	264	0	0	25,000	100,000	0
Oak Grove	Aaron Wylie, Rt.2, Box 838, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1971	1	Y		3	13	18	196	0	196	1	0	35,000	85,000	2,823
Olivet	Billy C. Hoffman, Box 5C, Long Island	28648	Catawba	1833	1		N	11	13	15	219	79	298	8	5	25,000	200,000	0
Pearl			Lincoln	1944	2	Y		18	5	24	317	41	358	0	1	35,000	190,000	13,467
Piney Grove	Bill R. Cook, Rt.2, Box 595, Newton	28658	Catawba	1904	1	Y		6	7	6	154	49	203	0	0	35,000	206,000	0
Poole's Chapel																		
Reepsville	Dale W. Holden, Rt. 1, Vale	28168	Lincoln	1888	1	Y		11	9	21	312	19	331	0	0	40,000	185,000	0
River View	Nathan L. May, Rt. 6, Box 241, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1897	1	Y		7	18	17	293	35	328	3	1	24,000	204,000	23,484
Roseland	J. W. Crouse, Rt. 6, Box 358, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1945	2	Y		5	5	3	100	0	100	1	0	0	50,000	31,343
Salem	Charles N. Cranford, P. O. Box 676, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1849	1	Y		22	6	24	399	89	488	1	1	0	172,000	58,646
Sharon	Donald Willis, Rt.1, Box 144, Iron Station	28080	Lincoln	1884	1	Y		9	8	9	141	24	165	0	0	14,000	100,000	6,937
Southside	Lee Roy Smith, Rt. 6, Box 641-A, Lincolnton	28092	Lincoln	1925	1	Y		9	27	20	276	112	388	0	0	19,000	317,000	4,594
Temple	Jack Chandler, Rt.1, Box 138, Catawba	28609	Lincoln	1941	3	Y		4	2	3	47	7	54	0	0	0	20,000	0
Westport	Guy P. Helms, Rt. 2, Denver	28037	Lincoln	1967	1		N	25	47	11	220	49	269	0	3	0	100,000	47,540
TOTAL								485	453	650	10648	2119	12767	58	60	1,124,600	7,014,837	480,895

TABLE B THE SUNDAY SCHOOL — YEAR ENDING September 30 (Month & Day) 1974

Association: South Fork
State: North Carolina
Associational Sunday School Director: Foyd Bennett
Address: Rt. 2 Box 360 — City: Maiden — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28650

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		54 Cradle Roll enrolment (under 2 years of age)	55 Preschool enrolment (2-5 years—not in school)	56 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	57 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	58 Young Adult enrolment (18-25 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	59 Adult enrolment (30-58 years or 30 to retirement)	60 Senior Adult enrolment (60 and over or retirement and over)	61 Adults Away enrolment	62 Homebound Units enrolment	63 General officers enrolment	64 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	65 Total ongoing Sunday School enrolment	66 Average weekly Sunday School attendance	67 Number of Bible Study groups	68 Bible Study groups enrolment	69 Weekday Bible Study enrolment	70 Church V. B. S. enrolment	71 Mission V. B. S. enrolment	72 Total V. B. S. enrolment
Amity	Dariel Dellinger, Rt.1, Stanley	28164	23	15	17	33	31	62	48	0	0	1	0	230	154	0	0	0	101	0	101
Antioch	Garfield Scott, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	0	26	31	15	9	58	27	0	0	6	0	172	134	0	0	0	124	0	124
Bethel			4	12	19	16	20	38	9	0	4	5	0	127	77	0	0	0	67	0	67
Boger City	J. M. Sherrill, 203 Buffalo Shoals Rd., Lincolnton	28092	0	58	87	64	19	158	64	0	0	5	0	455	242	0	0	0	189	0	189
Calvary	Fred Hawkins, Sr., Rt.5, Box 1338, Lincolnton	28092	4	44	82	34	12	68	12	3	8	6	0	273	180	0	0	0	196	0	196
Cedar Grove	Arnold Mills, Rt.2, Maiden	28650	2	14	12	13	19	16	10	0	0	4	0	90	57	0	0	0	74	0	74
Center View	J. B. Jones, Rt.1, Box 130 A, Maiden	28650	0	6	13	12	12	95	35	0	0	3	0	176	145	0	0	0	96	0	96
Coral Park																					
Craig Memorial	Larry B. Fisher, Rt.1 Airport Road, Stanley	28164	7	9	28	16	39	30	0	0	0	3	0	122	90	2	20	0	73	0	73
Crouse	James B. Blackburn, Rt.6, Lincolnton	28092	0	6	8	5	6	16	0	0	0	2	0	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
David Memorial	Jerry McSwain, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	6	18	23	31	17	13	16	0	0	3	0	127	95	0	0	0	94	0	94
Faith	Charlie Helton, Rt.1,Box 470-D, Stanley	28164	5	33	20	60	35	88	0	1	0	4	0	246	149	0	0	0	83	0	83
Fellowship	Harold Pruitt, Box 658, Stanley	28164	0	35	40	32	12	60	0	1	0	3	0	183	120	0	0	0	101	0	101
Friendly Chapel	Darris Turbyfill, Rt.1,Box 211, Maiden	28650	0	14	15	20	29	40	9	0	0	0	0	127	90	0	0	0	50	0	50
Gainsville	Mrs. Fred Rhyne, Rt.1, Crouse	28033	14	21	34	27	41	48	25	0	8	5	0	223	124	0	0	0	81	0	81
Howard's Creek	Marshall G. Gilbert, Rt.1, Box 432, Lincolnton	28092	0	3	8	21	3	13	2	0	0	0	0	50	35	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel			0	7	2	16	11	31	7	0	0	0	0	74	56	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hull's Grove	E. Z. Willis, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	27	20	33	50	18	122	0	0	0	3	1	274	160	0	0	0	137	0	137
Lawing's Chapel	Paul Hilton, Rt.2, Box 390 AA, Maiden	28650	11	30	31	44	45	90	23	0	0	3	0	277	171	0	0	0	102	0	102
Leonard's Fork	Jerry L. Elmore, Rt.2, Vale	28168	8	9	11	20	32	11	8	0	0	0	0	99	67	0	0	0	57	0	57
Lincoln Avenue	James C. Wise, Rt.2, Box 32 A, Vale	28168	11	37	27	34	30	139	20	0	0	6	0	304	189	0	0	0	156	0	156
Lincolnton, First	S. Z. Pollock, P. O. Box 714, Lincolnton	28092	19	38	81	82	43	102	127	23	10	4	100	629	398	0	0	0	157	0	157
Lincolnton, North	Fred Drum, Rt.2, Box 254 A., Maiden	28650	1	6	10	3	0	10	2	0	0	7	0	39	35	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, West	Fred Smith, 37 Railroad St., Lincolnton	28092	5	12	30	32	30	15	1	0	0	0	0	125	115	0	0	0	130	0	130
Long Shoals	Lewis Huss, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	6	27	18	24	15	28	24	0	0	2	0	144	91	0	0	0	84	0	84

Macedonia	Craig Barker, Rt.3, Lincolnton	28092	0	37	46	36	35	98	31	0	0	3	0	286	164	1	10	0	98	0	98
Maiden - East	Ed Williams, Jr., N. Ninth Ave, Maiden	28650	22	42	69	37	45	114	31	0	0	4	0	364	255	0	0	0	165	0	165
Maiden - First	Kermit Caldwell, 404 N. Main Ave., Maiden	28650	19	28	57	69	47	163	41	0	0	8	0	432	257	0	0	0	135	0	135
Massapoag	John Clark, 210 Little St., Lincolnton	28092	1	11	18	11	17	17	8	0	0	3	0	86	60	2	20	0	78	0	78
Mathis Chapel	Mitchel Joyner, Rt.2, Box 224, Catawba	28609	0	26	18	7	9	25	11	0	0	5	0	101	70	0	0	0	67	0	67
Mt. Anderson	Carl Beard, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	61	50	37	27	64	21	0	5	3	0	268	189	0	0	0	143	0	143
Mt. Ruhama	Billy B. Beard, Rt.2, Newton	28658	23	45	57	67	81	128	98	0	0	4	0	503	360	0	0	0	126	0	126
Mt. Zion	Don Lowe, Rt.1, Stanley	28164	5	26	22	17	39	33	17	0	0	2	0	161	106	0	0	0	80	0	80
Mountain View	Carrol E. Goodson, Rt.1, Box 93, Denver	28037	0	48	41	42	46	96	31	0	23	2	0	329	216	0	0	0	108	0	108
North Brook	Robert Bess, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	8	10	26	28	8	28	46	0	0	3	0	157	70	0	0	0	53	0	53
Oak Grove	Lester Martin, Rt.2, Box 785, Lincolnton	28092	6	19	21	19	10	68	0	0	0	2	0	145	74	0	0	0	61	0	61
Olivet	Basil Thomas, Rt.2, Catawba	28609	10	19	37	29	32	25	41	0	0	9	0	202	136	0	0	0	59	0	59
Pearl	Harvey Dellinger, Rt.1, Box 269, Alexis	28006	7	22	32	39	29	42	28	0	0	5	0	204	150	0	0	0	103	0	103
Piney Grove	Perry L. Wilkinson, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	7	9	16	34	19	31	20	0	0	4	0	140	90	0	0	0	98	0	98
Poole's Chapel																					
Reepsville	Freddie Seagle, Rt.1, Box 263, Vale	28168	0	52	49	36	11	52	38	6	10	6	0	260	158	0	0	0	140	0	140
River View	Sam T. Lattimore, 410 Buffalo Shoals Rd., Lincolnton	28092	0	39	31	35	45	60	37	0	13	9	0	269	163	0	0	0	119	0	119
Roseland	Michael Rhyne, Rt.2, Maiden	28650	0	5	4	18	5	69	8	0	0	3	0	112	44	0	0	0	37	0	37
Salem	Jim Plonk, Rt.2, Box 310, Dallas	28034	0	51	78	47	45	46	39	7	0	3	0	316	175	0	0	0	223	0	223
Sharon	Robert Hovis, Rt.3, Box 228, Lincolnton	28092	5	9	23	23	10	35	17	0	0	3	0	125	85	0	0	0	73	0	73
Southside	Roney Sides, Rt.4, Box 158, Lincolnton	28092	0	25	42	43	32	82	29	4	0	5	0	262	165	0	0	0	93	0	93
Temple	Denver Bailey, 2111 E. Main St., Lincolnton	28092	2	3	9	9	5	19	5	0	0	6	0	58	43	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport	Ed Hearns, Rt.1, Denver	28037	10	11	22	61	25	72	0	0	0	4	0	205	118	0	0	0	150	0	150
TOTAL			278	1098	1448	1448	1140	2718	1066	45	81	171	101	9594	6122	5	50	0	4361	0	4361

TABLE C TRAINING UNION YEAR ENDING September 30, 1974 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork

State: North Carolina

Associational Training Union Director: James F. Collette

Address: Rtl, Box 168 City: Stanley State: North Carolina Zip: 28164

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		73 Preschool enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	74 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	75 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	76 Young Adult enrolment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	77 Adult enrolment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	78 Senior Adult enrolment (60 and over or retirement and over)	79 General officers enrolment	80 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	81 Total Training Union ongoing enrolment	82 Average weekly Church Training attendance	83 New Member Orientation Registration	84 New Member Orientation Completed	85 Church Leader Training Registration	86 Church Leader Training Completed	87 Member Training Projects Registration	88 Member Training Projects Completed
Amity	Willie Josey, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	23	18	23	0	21	3	3	0	91	73	0	0	0	0	0	0
Antioch	Gordon Martin, Rt.3, Box 486, Lincolnton	28092	12	21	6	6	20	9	3	0	77	48	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bethel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boger City			10	20	8	0	20	0	2	0	60	30	0	0	0	0	0	0
Calvary	Mrs. Marshall Sisk, 325 Academy St., Lincolnton	28092	17	46	41	15	17	0	4	0	140	90	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cedar Grove	Ross Williams, Box 398, Maiden	28650	5	15	8	7	9	9	2	0	55	21	0	0	0	0	0	0
Center View	Wade Crouse, Rt.2, Box 448, Newton	28658	6	3	11	10	35	5	2	0	72	47	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coral Park																		
Craig Memorial			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Crouse			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
David Memorial			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Faith	Dale Ritchie, Rt.1, Box 471 H, Stanley	28164	9	11	17	24	49	15	2	0	127	53	0	0	20	13	0	0
Fellowship			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Friendly Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gainsville	Dale Houser, Rt.1, Lincolnton	28092	13	9	12	10	15	0	3	0	62	41	0	0	0	0	0	0
Howard's Creek			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hull's Grove	Tommy Canipe, Rt.2, Vale	28168	14	15	16	7	31	3	2	0	88	51	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lawing's Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leonard's Fork	James Elmore, Rt.2, Vale	28168	0	12	6	0	27	0	1	0	46	24	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincoln Avenue	Robert Wise, Rt.2, Box 196, Lincolnton	28092	15	19	8	20	16	0	3	0	81	55	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, First	Joe M. Bondurant, P.O. Box 714, Lincolnton	28092	15	56	50	0	33	0	4	0	158	84	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, North			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, West			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Long Shoals	Lester Peyseur, Rt.4, Box 697, Lincolnton	28092	8	6	8	4	10	6	2	0	44	35	0	0	0	0	0	0

Macedonia	Lilburn Goodson, Rt.3, Box 593, Lincolnton	28092	8	18	18	7	32	0	1	0	84	39	17	0	0	0	0	0
Maiden - East	Miss Mona Schronce, 1103 E.Main St., Maiden	28650	12	18	7	9	20	14	2	0	82	59	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maiden - First	Gerald Cline, 207 E. Main St., Maiden	28650	15	27	21	0	29	0	6	0	98	76	0	0	8	8	33	33
Massapoag	Mrs. Dorothy Kirksey, Rt.6, Box 525, Lincolnton	28092	12	14	13	10	10	4	2	0	65	33	0	0	15	0	0	0
Mathis Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mt. Anderson	Mrs. Frank Smyre, Rt.2, Newton	28658	17	11	11	14	23	12	2	0	90	61	0	0	0	0	0	35
Mt. Ruhama	Larry Neil Setzer, Rt.2, Box 270, Claremont	28610	17	24	31	26	33	19	4	0	154	116	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mt. Zion	Calvin Rumfelt, Box 622, Alexis	28006	2	10	13	2	6	0	1	0	34	22	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mountain View	Miss Rita Gail Hicks, Rt.1, Box 212, Maiden	28650	17	23	25	15	29	10	3	0	122	81	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Brook	Mrs. Odell Wilcox, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	9	18	12	4	21	0	3	0	67	30	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oak Grove	Mrs. Mills Greene, Rt.2, Box 89, Lincolnton	28092	9	5	21	0	27	0	1	0	63	32	3	3	0	0	0	0
Olivet	Fred Lytton, Long Island	28648	10	13	17	0	35	0	3	0	78	50	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pearl	Lester Ballard, Rt.1, Box 282, Denver	28037	17	18	27	13	26	0	2	0	103	71	0	0	0	0	0	0
Piney Grove			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Poole's Chapel																		
Reepsville	Bill Pendleton, 305 Lithia Springs Rd, Lincolnton	28092	15	30	30	8	28	20	4	0	135	89	0	0	0	0	0	0
River View	Randy Gantt, Rt.2, Box 17, Maiden	28650	19	20	25	0	51	0	3	0	118	53	18	18	40	40	41	41
Roseland			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salem	Fred Dellinger, Rt.7, Box 603, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	20	0	6	0	2	0	28	15	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sharon			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southside	Earl Armstrong, Rt.7, Box 10, Lincolnton	28092	10	28	38	18	24	0	5	0	123	62	0	0	0	0	0	0
Temple			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport	Tommy Williams, Rt.2, Box , Denver	28037	6	24	18	20	23	0	3	0	94	32	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL			342	552	561	249	726	129	80	0	2639	1573	38	21	83	61	74	109

TABLE D CHURCH MUSIC — YEAR ENDING ~~September 30~~ 1974 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork
State: North Carolina
Associational Music Director: Kennith D. Adams
Address: Rt. 2, Box 209-A — City: Maiden — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28092

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	89 Preschool enrolment (5 years and under—not in school)	90 Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	91 Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	92 Adult enrolment (18 and over)	93 Handbell ringers enrolment	94 Vocal ensemble enrolment	95 Instrumental ensembles enrolment	96 General music leaders enrolment	97 Enrolment of mission(s) of church	98 Total ongoing church music enrolment	99 Average weekly church music attendance	100 Church music study group enrolment
Amity	Mrs. Ray Ballard, Rt.2, Iron Station 28080		0	12	20	0	0	2	2	0	36	29	0
Antioch		0	14	0	25	0	0	0	0	0	39	23	0
Bethel	Miss Judy Muil, 105 A, Catawba Heights, Lincolnton 28092	0	7	4	24	0	0	0	1	0	36	22	0
Boger City	Mrs. Wm.R. Walters, Rt.1, Box 275-W, Denver 28037	15	55	25	30	0	0	0	4	0	129	95	0
Calvary	Douglas Ledford, Rt.1, Crouse 28033	0	60	0	35	0	0	0	4	0	99	75	0
Cedar Grove	Bob Martin, Rt.2, Maiden 28650	0	10	0	16	0	0	0	4	0	30	25	0
Center View	Preston Turbyfill, Rt.1, Maiden 28650	0	13	20	30	0	0	0	5	0	68	50	0
Coral Park													
Craig Memorial	K. Roger Fisher, Rt.1, Box 196, Stanley 28164	0	0	25	30	0	0	0	2	0	57	52	0
Crouse	James B. Blackburn, Rt.6, Lincolnton 28092	0	7	4	0	0	12	0	2	0	25	0	0
David Memorial	Mrs. Morris McCarter, Rt.7, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	12	15	0	0	0	0	0	27	0	0
Faith	Jerry York, Rt.1, Stanley 28164	0	8	17	26	0	15	2	4	0	72	65	0
Fellowship	Marvin Mauney, Lafette St., Stanley 28164	0	0	6	30	0	0	0	1	0	37	16	0
Friendly Chapel	Vance Lawing, Rt.1, Maiden 28650	0	2	4	26	0	0	0	0	0	32	30	0
Gainsville	Harold Humphries, Rt.1, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	19	0	0	2	2	0	23	18	0
Howard's Creek	Mrs. Edith Willis, Rt.2, Vale 28168	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson's Chapel	Mrs. W. S. Leatherman, Rt2,Box 35, Catawba 28609	0	0	10	14	0	0	0	2	0	26	18	0
Hull's Grove	Mrs. Don Sain, Rt.2, Vale 28168	5	11	0	30	0	0	0	5	0	51	40	0
Lawing's Chapel	Johnnie Shubert, Rt.2, Box 220, Newton 28658	0	12	11	25	0	0	0	3	0	51	45	0
Leonard's Fork		0	10	0	10	0	0	0	2	0	22	15	0
Lincoln Avenue	Truett Poteat, Rt.5, Box 489, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	33	0	0	0	0	0	33	20	0
Lincolnton, First		15	48	44	36	12	0	0	9	46	210	180	0
Lincolnton, North	Mrs. James Hoyle, Rt.4, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, West	Carroll Houk, Rt.2, Box 392, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	5	30	0	30	0	1	0	66	30	0
Long Shoals	Bill Christopher, Rt.4, Lincolnton 28092	0	15	15	25	0	4	3	2	0	64	50	0

Macedonia	Miss Ellen Bridges. P. O. Box 692, Maiden	28650	10	0	15	30	0	0	0	0	0	55	40	0
Maiden - East	Harold S. Caldwell, Rt.2, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	30	0	0	0	2	0	32	24	0
Maiden - First	Kennith D. Adams, Rt.2, Box 209 A, Maiden	28650	14	37	33	37	0	0	0	7	0	128	94	10
Massapoag	Mrs. John Clark, 210 Little St., Lincolnton	28092	0	6	3	12	0	2	0	2	0	25	15	0
Mathis Chapel	Jimmy Clawson, Rt.2, Box 187, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mt. Anderson	Doyce Turbyfill, Rt.2, Maiden	28650	0	0	25	25	0	0	2	4	0	56	50	0
Mt. Ruhama	Ray Von Caldwell, Rt.2, Newton	28658	0	0	2	35	0	0	0	4	0	41	25	0
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Mary H. Hovis, Rt.1, Box 307 A, Alexis	28006	0	0	16	18	0	0	0	2	0	36	20	0
Mountain View	Emmett Turbyfill, Rt.2, Box 312, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	30	0	0	0	0	0	30	20	0
North Brook	Kenneth Haynes, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	0	4	11	15	0	0	0	2	0	32	25	0
Oak Grove	Bob Steelman, Rt.2, Box 900, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	15	22	0	0	0	2	0	39	30	0
Olivet	Hugh Welborne, Rt.3,Box 14 A, Hamptonville	27020	8	10	15	25	0	0	0	3	0	61	19	0
Pearl			0	0	24	40	0	0	0	0	0	64	58	20
Piney Grove	Charles Estep. Rt. 2, Newton	28658	0	8	20	25	0	0	0	1	0	54	40	1
Poole's Chapel														
Reepsville	Gerald Pendleton, 302 Little St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	10	20	0	0	3	2	0	35	30	25
River View			0	0	22	25	0	0	4	2	0	53	38	12
Roseland	Bob Schism, 705 N. Main St., Maiden	28650	0	1	10	10	0	4	0	1	0	26	15	0
Salem	Arthur McGinnis, Rt.1,Stanley	28164	0	0	20	34	0	0	0	0	0	54	22	0
Sharon	W. E. Beal, Rt.3, Box 110, Lincolnton	28092	0	10	10	15	0	0	0	4	0	39	30	20
Southside	Mrs. Kenneth Hoyle, Rt. 6, Box 448, Lincolnton	28092	0	8	15	30	0	0	0	3	0	56	33	0
Temple	Mrs. Marie Burgess, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	5	10	0	0	0	0	0	15	15	0
Westport	Harold Redman, Rt.1, Denver	28037	4	21	19	28	0	0	0	4	0	76	45	0
TOTAL			71	377	504	1045	12	67	18	100	46	2240	1586	88

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION — YEAR ENDING September 30 (Month & Day) 1974

Association: South Fork

State: North Carolina

Associational WMU Director: Mrs. Earl Armstrong

Address: Rt. 2, Box 10, City: Lincolnton, State: North Carolina, Zip: 28092

CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	101 Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	102 Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	103 Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	104 Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	105 Baptist Women (30 and over)	106 Mission(s) of church	107 Total number of organizations	108 Mission Friends (5 years and under—not in school)	109 Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	110 Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	111 Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	112 Baptist Women (30 and over)	113 WMU officers	114 Mission(s) of church	115 Total WMU ongoing enrolment
		Number of Organizations							Enrolment							
Amity	Mrs. David Crouse, Rt.1, Box 260, Denver 28037	2	2	2	1	1	0	8	14	10	11	7	30	7	0	78
Antioch	Mrs. Betty B. Setzer, Rt.5, Box 1062, Lincolnton 28092	1	1	1	0	2	0	5	9	8	9	0	22	8	0	56
Bethel	Mrs. Ted Elmore, Rt.3, Box 1076, Lincolnton 28092	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	7	0	0	0	11	3	0	21
Boger City	Mrs. Joe Grice, 403 Green St., Lincolnton 28092	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	15	35	10	0	67	3	0	130
Calvary	Mrs. Roy Houk, Rt. 2, Box 33, Lincolnton 28092	2	2	0	0	1	0	5	14	24	0	0	25	5	0	68
Cedar Grove	Mrs. Irene DeLozier, Rt.2, Maiden 28650	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	6	4	0	5	1	0	16
Center View	Mrs. Kenneth Gilleland, Rt.1, Maiden 28650	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	19	1	0	20
Coral Park																
Craig Memorial	Mrs. James Collette, Rt.1, Box 168, Stanley 28164	1	1	1	0	1	1	5	8	6	9	0	9	1	0	33
Crouse	Mrs. Mae Carpenter, Rt.6, Lincolnton 28092	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	6	4	0	0	5	0	15
David Memorial	Mrs. Bobbey Davis, Rt. 6, Box 416, Lincolnton 28092	1	1	0	1	1	0	4	7	11	0	9	7	9	0	43
Faith	Mrs. Robert Helton, Sr.,Rt.1,Box 189, Mt. Holly 28120	1	2	1	0	2	0	6	5	14	6	0	19	2	0	46
Fellowship	Mrs. Mary Cody, Rt.1, Iron Station 28080	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	12	10	6	0	15	6	0	49
Friendly Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gainsville	Mrs. Bob Elmore, Rt.2, Lincolnton 28092	1	1	1	1	3	0	7	5	12	7	11	21	6	0	62
Howard's Creek		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson's Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hull's Grove	Mrs. Clara Nell Brendle, Rt.2, Vale 28168	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	10	14	19	0	20	1	0	64
Lawing's Chapel	Mrs. Douglas Folts, Rt.2, Box282-A, Maiden 28650	0	1	1	1	1	0	4	0	10	14	8	15	1	0	48
Leonard's Fork	Mrs. Vance Heavner, Rt.1, Crouse 28054	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	6	10	0	0	10	3	0	29
Lincoln Avenue	Mrs. Bill McAlister, 608 Bonview Ave., Lincolnton 28092	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	6	8	8	12	25	7	0	66
Lincolnton-First	Mrs. Harry Davis, P. O. Box 714, Lincolnton 28092	2	2	1	0	8	2	15	24	28	15	0	106	7	12	192
Lincolnton-North		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton-West		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Long Shoals	Mrs. Robbie Gates, Rt.4, Lincolnton 28092	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	10	15	8	4	18	4	0	59

Macedonia	Mrs. Joy Keever, Rt.3, Box 590, Lincolnton	28092	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	11	12	10	0	6	1.	0	40
Maiden - East	Mrs. L. R. Williams, 1004 E. Main St., Maiden	28650	1	2	1	0	3	0	7	12	18	7	0	32	6	0	75
Maiden - First	Mrs. Reba Williams, 912 Union St., Maiden	28650	2	2	1	0	1	0	6	15	24	13	0	56	5	0	113
Massapoag	Mrs. John Clark, 210 Little St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	5	0	7	3	0	15
Mathis Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mt. Anderson	Mrs. Woodrow Isenhour, Rt.1, Box 271, Maiden	28650	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	5	12	12	0	32	3	0	64
Mt. Ruhama	Mrs. Leonard Wright, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	2	2	3	1	1	0	9	16	16	23	14	38	5	0	112
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Janice Finchum, Rt.1, Alexis	28006	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	10	5	5	0	18	1	0	39
Mountain View	Mrs. Harding Caldwell, Rt.1, Box 216 A., Maiden	28650	3	2	1	0	1	0	7	12	11	10	0	30	7	0	70
North Brook	Mrs. Coy Dellinger, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	6	2	8	5	15	2	0	38
Oak Grove	Mrs. Aaron Wylie, Rt.2, Box 838, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Olivet	Mrs. Jerome Eads, Rt.2, Catawba	28609	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	15	14	9	0	19	5	0	62
Pearl	Mrs. Wayne Johnson, Rt.3, Box 519, Lincolnton	28092	1	2	1	0	1	0	5	10	12	17	0	15	4	0	58
Piney Grove	Mrs. Harold Killian, Rt.1, Catawba	28609	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	3	4	7	0	15	5	0	34
Poole's Chapel																	
Reepsville	Mrs. Vane Mahala, 818 S. Government St., Lincolnton	28092	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	11	11	9	10	41	8	0	90
River View	Mrs. James Cooke, Rt.6, Box 273, Lincolnton	28092	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	27	13	12	0	33	4	0	89
Roseland	Mrs. J. W. Crouse, Rt.6, Box 358, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	15	5	0	20
Salem	Mrs. J. E. Lockman, Rt.7, Box 295, Lincolnton	28092	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	17	17	15	13	31	8	0	101
Sharon	Mrs. Dean Sain, Rt.1, Box 570, Iron Station	28080	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	2	5	10	0	10	5	0	32
Southside	Mrs. James Gibson, Rt.4, Box 65, Lincolnton	28092	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	6	12	10	0	28	5	0	61
Temple			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport	Mrs. Benny Craig, Rt.2, Denver	28037	0	1	1	0	1	1	4	0	9	12	0	15	4	15	55
TOTAL			38	43	35	10	50	4	180	329	424	324	93	900	166	27	2263

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD YEAR ENDING September 30 1974 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork

State: North Carolina

Associational Brotherhood Director

Address City State Zip

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	116 Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	117 Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	118 RA leader and committee	119 Baptist Young Men enrollment (18-29 years or H.S. graduation to 29 years)	120 Baptist Men enrollment (30-59 years or 30 to retirement)	121 Baptist Senior Men (60 and over or retirement and over)	122 Other Baptist men groups	123 Brotherhood director and other Brotherhood General Officers	124 Enrollment of mission(s) of church	125 Total ongoing Brotherhood enrollment
Amity	Joseph Davis, Rt.2, Iron Station 28080	12	6	1	0	15	0	0	1	0	35
Antioch	Milton Sigmon, Rt.2, Box 486, Lincolnton 28092	12	0	0	0	23	0	0	1	0	36
Bethel		0	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Boger City	Charlie B. Saunders, Rt.1, Box 667, Iron Station 28080	40	20	13	0	30	0	0	1	0	104
Calvary	Coleman Hawkins, 112 Lake St., Lincolnton 28092	16	16	5	0	20	0	0	1	0	58
Cedar Grove	Ross Williams, Box 398, Maiden 28650	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	1	0	8
Center View		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coral Park											
Craig Memorial	Gary R. McGinnis, Rt.1, Box 197-B, Stanley 28164	7	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	11
Crouse		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
David Memorial	Barry Spencer, P.O. Box 1225, Lincolnton 28092	11	5	0	0	11	0	0	3	0	30
Faith	Ben Helton, Rt.1,Stanley 28164	8	4	4	0	10	0	0	0	0	26
Fellowship	Harold Loftin, Rt.2, Dallas 28034	7	11	4	0	20	0	0	1	0	43
Friendly Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gainsville	Henry Alexander, Rt.1, Lincolnton 28092	10	4	4	0	18	0	0	1	0	37
Howard's Creek		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson's Chapel		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hull's Grove	Howard Morgan, Rt.2, Vale 28168	16	0	0	0	24	0	0	0	0	40
Lawing's Chapel		8	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
Leonard's Fork	Vance Heavner, Rt.1, Crouse 28033	8	0	2	0	8	0	0	1	0	19
Lincoln Avenue	Lawrence Laney, 231 W. Water St., Lincolnton 28092	16	5	0	0	23	0	0	3	0	47
Lincolnton - First	Harry Brogden, P. O. Box 714, Lincolnton 28092	31	0	0	0	25	0	0	8	0	64
Lincolnton - North		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton - West		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Long Shoals	Jim Poovey, Rt. 4, Box 311, Lincolnton 28092	7	12	4	0	16	0	0	1	0	40

Macedonia	Darrell Beidleman, Rt.3, Box 591, Lincolnton	28092	11	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
Maiden - East	David Sigmon, S. 8th Avenue, Ext., Maiden	28650	25	15	3	0	18	0	0	1	0	62
Maiden - First	Leon Drum, Rt.4, Box 361, Newton	28658	10	15	1	0	25	0	0	1	0	52
Massapoag			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mathis Chapel			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mt. Anderson	Charles Wilkinson, Rt.1, Box 148-A, Maiden	28650	12	14	7	0	0	11	0	1	2	47
Mt. Ruhama	Alvin Stewart, Rt.2, Box 570, Newton	28658	12	12	1	0	13	0	0	0	0	38
Mt. Zion	W. E. Stroupe, Rt.1, Alexis	28006	0	7	1	0	8	0	0	1	0	17
Mountain View	Donald Ballard, Rt.1, Box 344, Catawba	28609	10	10	0	0	26	0	0	1	0	47
North Brook	Harry Arthur, Sr., Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	11	9	2	0	12	0	0	2	0	36
Oak Grove			0	11	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Olivet	Jerry Eads, R.F.D., Statesville	28677	9	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
Pearl	Wayne Johnson, Rt.3, Box 519, Lincolnton	28092	5	4	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	29
Piney Grove	Perry L. Wilkinson, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	12	8	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	24
Poole's Chapel												
Reepsville	Paul Hallman, 112 Wendover Dr., Lincolnton	28092	28	17	5	0	24	0	0	1	0	75
River View	Blair Gantt, Rt.6, Box 117, Lincolnton	28092	15	10	3	0	25	0	0	0	0	53
Roseland			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salem	John McLeod, Rt.7, Box 290, Lincolnton	28092	11	4	1	0	15	0	0	1	0	32
Sharon	Charles Yenny, Rt.1, Box 167, Iron Station	28080	12	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	18
Southside	James Whitesides, Jr., Rt.7, Box 1102, Lincolnton	28092	8	9	2	0	14	0	0	1	0	34
Temple			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westport	Benny Brown, Box 8717, Rt.2, Denver	28037	18	25	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	47
TOTAL			418	283	77	0	456	11	0	34	2	1281

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP YEAR ENDING 9/30, 1974

Association: South Fork (Month & Day)

State: North Carolina

Associational Treasurer: Mrs. J. E. Helms

Address: Box 461 City: Maiden State: North Carolina Zip: 28650

CHURCHES	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		21	22			23	24	126	127	128	129	130	131	132	133	134	135
			Number of tithers	Budget prom. or emphasis used during the year: None	Forward Program	Other	Cooperative Program goal as percent of total budget	Associational missions goal as percent of total budget	Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during the year	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
Amity	Mrs. Dianne Dean,Rt.1,Box 260, Denver	28037	61	x			15%	1/10	47,964	0	47,964	0	11,198	0	14,885	1,093	9,843	37,019
Antioch	Mrs. Ruth Beal, Rt.5, Box 1069, Lincolnton	28092	75	x			12%	2%	38,648	7,345	45,993	0	10,825	0	0	805	26,390	38,020
Bethel	Mrs. Wm. Rumfelt, Rt.5, Box 177B,Lincolnton	28092	30	x			10%	5%	24,600	3,000	27,600	0	9,280	0	0	448	16,237	25,965
Boger City	J. E. Norwood, 2315 E.Main St.,Lincolnton	28092	180	x			15%	3%	91,730	0	91,730	0	29,000	0	11,061	2,200	31,105	73,366
Calvary	Miss Janice Smith, Rt.1,Box 128,Lincolnton	28092	120	x			3½%	1½%	57,474	0	57,474	0	16,780	4,733	4,800	3,530	20,829	50,672
Cedar Grove	Grady Grindstaff, Rt.2, Maiden	28650	24		x				17,922	0	17,922	0	8,605	0	2,009	734	2,232	13,570
Center View	Kenneth Gilleland, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	40	x			.05%	1¼%	31,295	0	31,295	0	8,587	0	0	1,020	17,510	27,117
Coral Park																		
Craig Memorial	Mrs. Larry McGinnis,423 E.Poplar, Stanley	28164	54	x			14%	3%	28,177	0	28,177	0	10,675	0	1,560	568	7,960	20,763
Crouse	Elliott Loftin, Rt.6, Lincolnton	28092	10	x					10,237	622	10,859	0	4,420	1,614	0	96	3,291	9,421
David Memorial	Mrs. Robert Armstrong,Rt.7 Box 322,Lincolnton	28092	25		x				18,494	1,119	19,613	0	5,390	0	3,814	459	9,605	19,268
Faith	Mrs. Charlie Helton, Rt.1, Box 470-D,Stanley	28164	38	x	x	x	2%	1¼%	43,355	740	44,095	0	12,345	24,631	7,409	1,508	7,825	53,718
Fellowship	James Cody, Rt.1, Iron Station	28080	51	x			8%	2%	32,041	0	32,041	0	6,185	0	6,000	376	899	13,460
Friendly Chapel	Bobby Burgess, Rt.1,Box 345, Denver	28037	37	x					20,031	0	20,031	0	6,925	0	1,330	299	7,383	15,937
Gainsville	Fred L. Rhyne, Rt.1, Crouse	28033	60	x			15%	2½%	38,147	4,141	42,288	0	11,369	0	0	1,337	20,650	33,356
Howard's Creek	Marshall G. Gilbert, Rt.1, Box 432,Lincolnton	28092	12	x					1,912	0	1,912	0	1,245	0	0	67	456	1,768
Hudson Chapel	W. S. Leatherman,Rt.2 Box 35,Catawba	28609	45	x			3%	1½%	13,192	0	13,192	0	6,455	1,434	2,264	144	2,110	12,407
Hull's Grove	Mrs. Eddie Brendle, Rt.2, Vale	28168	40		x		10%	2%	42,400	0	42,400	0	13,680	0	0	1,435	2,175	17,290
Lawing's Chapel	Jim McAlister, Rt.2, Box 333, Maiden	28650	60	x			8.6%	1%	47,944	0	47,944	0	14,841	0	0	2,143	10,044	27,028
Leonard's Fork	Mrs. Jonah Hager,108 Bost St.,Lincolnton	28092	21	x			10%	2%	10,902	330	11,232	0	4,725	6,099	0	281	981	12,086
Lincoln Avenue	David Ross, Rt.5, Box 1337, Lincolnton	28092	165	x			20%	1½%	82,346	0	82,346	0	19,985	0	10,611	1,587	29,977	62,160
Lincolnton - First	Mrs. Pauline Sherrill, P.O. Box 714, Lincolnton	28092				x	20%		360,750	15,734	376,484	0	33,079	0	0	1,710	143,063	177,852
Lincolnton - North	Mrs. Ruby McCalister, Rt.3,Lincolnton	28092	9	x					2,400	0	2,400	8,000	1,300	0	1,250	30	200	2,780
Lincolnton - West	Morris Cornwell, Box 311 Rt.6,Lincolnton	28092	50	x					17,774	0	17,774	10,000	7,280	14,000	0	250	975	22,505
Long Shoals	Fred Gates, Rt.4, Lincolnton	28092	40	x			10%	0	20,563	0	20,563	0	9,060	0	3,889	761	4,178	17,888

Macedonia	Mrs. Joan Ballard, Rt.3, Box 630, Lincolnton	28092	67	x			5%	3%	50,864	3,042	53,906	0	15,460	0	0	1,139	8,867	25,466
Maiden - East	Don Sherrill, Rt.2, Maiden	28650	40	x					56,514	3,712	60,226	0	16,185	0	0	3,421	33,765	53,371
Maiden - First	Blair Abernathy,109 E.Boyd St.,Maiden	28650				x	20%	1½%	97,628	12,988	110,616	6,000	35,509	0	23,510	2,162	26,060	87,241
Massapoag	Mrs. Rachel Chapman, Rt.2 Box 7,Lincolnton	28092	20	x			10%	1.9	14,351	2,000	16,351	0	5,760	0	5,197	476	4,003	15,436
Mathis Chapel	Mrs. Clifford Sherrill, Rt.1,Box 100,Sherrills Ford	28673	22	x					15,314	0	15,314	0	6,355	1,949	0	391	1,574	10,269
Mt. Anderson	Phil Turbyfill, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	50	x			1%	1%	39,632	300	39,932	0	11,168	0	5,500	1,040	27,262	44,970
Mt. Ruhama	Miss Beda Campbell,Rt.1 Box 330 A, Maiden	28650	177	x					101,103	0	101,103	0	17,100	0	0	1,814	29,400	48,314
Mt. Zion	Cull G. Long, Rt.1, Box 314, Alexis	28006	38	x			10%	2%	28,200	0	28,200	0	9,610	675	0	1,256	10,412	21,953
Mountain View	Donald L. Caldwell,Rt.1 Box 232 A, Maiden	28650		x			11%	2%	54,271	0	54,271	0	9,000	5,000	0	1,200	12,821	28,021
North Brook	Mrs. Kemp Wehunt, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	50	x			10%	1½%	20,893	229	21,122	0	8,987	0	0	519	7,227	16,733
Oak Grove	Dale Elmore, Rt.2, Box 32, Lincolnton	28092	30	x			10%	.3%	18,570	0	18,570	0	3,686	0	3,655	618	12,011	19,970
Olivet	Reid Martin, Rt.2, Catawba	28609	50	x			15%	1½%	30,825	0	30,825	0	10,236	654	5,159	1,479	7,165	24,693
Pearl	Mrs. J. D. Johnson, Rt.1,Box 729,Iron Station	28080	93	x			5%	1½%	39,785	0	39,785	0	11,105	0	1,140	1,283	13,399	26,927
Piney Grove	Mrs. John Cansler,Rt.2 Box 169A,Claremont	28610	32	x			1.3%	2%	25,837	10	25,847	0	6,999	0	2,178	1,149	6,778	17,104
Poole's Chapel																		
Reepsville	James E. Helms,Rt.1,Box 420, Lincolnton	28092	125	x			12½%	1½%	55,250	0	55,250	0	11,608	685	0	1,397	35,769	49,459
River View	Pervy Coffey, Rt.6, Box 87, Lincolnton	28092	93			x	11%	1.5%	51,843	0	51,843	6,000	15,586	9,173	12,505	1,478	12,094	50,836
Roseland	Mrs. Ruth Colvard,321 Carter St.E,Lincolnton	28092	17		x				7,276	0	7,276	12,862	3,200	0	1,529	143	926	5,798
Salem	D. B. Lewis, Rt.7, Box 389, Lincolnton	28092	107	x			3.8%	1.5%	54,080	0	54,080	900	16,090	0	12,636	1,556	19,438	49,720
Sharon	Mrs.Irene Armstrong,Rt.1,Box545,Iron Station	28080	15	x			2%	1%	22,160	0	22,160	0	6,070	3,822	3,932	423	3,648	17,895
Southside	Mrs. Glenn Morrison, P.O. Box 101,Lincolnton	28092	89	x			11.3%	1.4%	52,777	0	52,777	0	13,798	0	8,620	1,470	19,361	43,249
Temple	Mrs. Verma Bailey,2111 E. Main St,Lincolnton	28092	20	x					7,731	0	7,731	0	4,150	0	2,631	179	917	7,877
Westport	Phillip Bearden, Rt.2, Denver	28037	50	x			10%	.5%	37,621	0	37,621	0	13,775	1,192	6,000	721	4,900	26,588
TOTAL			2432						1,982,823	55,312	2,038,135	43,762	514,671	75,661	165,074	48,195	673,705	1,477,306

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES — YEAR ENDING September 30 (Month & Day) — 1974

Association: South Fork

State: North Carolina

Associational Superintendent of Missions (Associational Missionary): James B. McQuere

Address: P.O. Box 461 — City: Maiden — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28650

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	136 Money paid out on new construction during the year	137 All other church sponsored mission expenditures	138 Total church sponsored mission expenditures	139 Cooperative Program	140 Associational missions program	141 Designated: State missions	142 Designated: SBC Home Missions (incl. Annie Armstrong Easter offering)	143 Designated: SBC Foreign Missions (incl. Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	144 Designated: Christian education (schools, etc.)	145 Designated: Children's Homes (cash plus goods)	148 Designated: Hospitals	147 Designated: Homes for the aged	148 Designated: All other (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	149 Total other mission cause expenditures	150 Grand Total Mission expenditures
		CHURCH SPONSORED MISSIONS				OTHER MISSION CAUSE EXPENDITURES										
Amity	Mrs. Rhyne Reel, Rt.2, Box437, Iron Station 28080	180	70	250	5,744	442	90	700	1,351	25	152	113	53	240	3,166	9,160
Antioch	Mrs. Betty B. Setzer, Rt.5, Box 1062, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	3,927	750	177	375	1,917	166	205	178	161	5	3,934	7,861
Bethel	Mrs. Joe Mull, Rt.5, Box 243, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	2,302	300	17	109	215	108	100	100	100	671	1,720	4,022
Boger City	Coleman L. Goodson,1618 E. Main St.,Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	12,000	1,900	80	223	1,384	5	180	92	70	700	4,634	16,634
Calvary	Mrs. Howard Schronce, P.O. Box 421, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	1,635	700	0	274	624	0	291	194	492	866	3,441	5,076
Cedar Grove	Mrs. Virginia Williams, Box 398, Maiden 28650	0	0	0	25	264	0	0	175	0	76	0	0	150	665	690
Center View	Mrs. Donald Lawing, Rt.2, Box 334 A, Maiden 28650	0	0	0	1,316	386	209	385	680	0	291	224	67	265	2,507	3,823
Coral Park																
Craig Memorial	Mrs. Gary R. McGinnis, Rt.1, Box 197-B, Stanley 28164	0	0	0	3,795	838	7	112	375	0	68	73	35	1,705	3,213	7,008
Crouse	Mrs. John W. Gantt, 1440 E. Main St., Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	54	175	50	119	229	0	171	40	60	0	898	952
David Memorial	Mrs. Carl Sutton, Rt.7, Box 909, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	100	81	0	103	152	0	46	26	10	0	418	518
Faith	Mrs. Robert Helton,Sr.,Rt1, Box 189,Mt. Holly 28120	0	0	0	600	584	30	111	545	30	420	32	0	21	1,776	2,376
Fellowship	Mrs. Carl Rhyne, Rt.1, Box 251, Iron Station 28080	0	0	0	1,951	465	100	100	130	0	0	0	30	100	925	2,876
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. James Carpenter, Rt.1, Box 165-D, Maiden 28650	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	0	0	428	0	0	660	1,188	1,188
Gainsville	Larry S. Gilbert, Rt.1, Box 161, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	5,785	780	47	545	1,239	0	405	53	66	14	3,149	8,934
Howard's Creek	Mrs. Nell Nantz, Rt.1, Iron Station 28080	0	0	0	0	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	50
Hudson Chapel	Mrs. Roby A. Stewart, Rt.2, Box 37, Catawba 28609	0	0	0	392	180	12	0	0	0	25	25	18	67	327	719
Hull's Grove	Roger Kiser, Rt.2, Box 92-1A, Vale 28168	0	0	0	2,775	600	66	2,186	1,525	874	0	54	131	240	5,676	8,451
Lawing's Chapel	Mrs. Bain Henry, Rt.2, Box 378, Maiden 28650	0	0	0	1,800	350	208	871	1,061	0	817	264	262	1,752	5,585	7,385
Leonard's Fork	Mrs. Jerry Elmore, Rt.2, Vale 28168	0	0	0	1,648	238	50	0	73	100	0	28	0	0	489	2,136
Lincoln Avenue	Mrs. C. W. McGee, Rt.1, Box 427, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	14,635	900	322	1,038	2,224	101	172	112	142	1,677	6,688	21,323
Lincolnton - First	Mrs. Evelyn James, P. O. Box 714, Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	23,295	1,650	590	2,341	4,254	5	985	565	93	1,381	11,864	35,159
Lincolnton - North	Mrs. James Drum, Rt.2, Box 255. Maiden 28650	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton - West	Mrs. Patricia Propst, Rt.1, Box 288-C, Vale 28168	0	0	0	0	0	282	0	166	0	26	150	150	0	774	774
Long Shoals	Mrs. Grace Huffman, Rt. 6, Box 105,Lincolnton 28092	0	0	0	1,751	275	0	60	200	0	70	26	19	0	650	2,401

Macedonia	Miss Judy Perkins, Rt.3, Box 589, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	1,450	668	55	577	1,342	0	100	201	100	782	3,825	5,275
Maiden - East	Miss Debbie Sigmon, Rt.2, Box 399-B, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	1,678	800	1,152	678	2,526	41	378	252	0	1,405	7,232	8,910
Maiden - First	Reggie Deaton, 415 N. Main Ave., Maiden	28650	0	0	0	19,041	1,679	0	621	2,227	200	121	0	0	858	5,706	24,747
Massapoag	Miss Carol Kirksey, Rt.6,Box 525, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	900	258	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	20	453	1,353
Mathis Chapel	Mrs. Kenneth B. Sigmon, Rt.2, Box 222, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	450	550	550
Mt. Anderson	Mrs. Woodrow Isennour, Rt.1, Box 271, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	250	400	113	161	166	162	125	100	0	1,719	2,946	3,196
Mt. Ruhama	Miss Beda Campbell,Rt.1, Box 300-A, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	15,000	1,404	1,147	5,702	3,274	154	2,295	1,126	440	1,891	17,433	32,433
Mt. Zion	Ms.Wanda M. Murphy,1702 Highway 275, Stanley	28164	0	0	0	2,369	520	577	684	1,946	120	576	84	131	388	4,990	7,359
Mountain View	Mrs. Everette A. Caldwell, Rt.1, Box 235, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	3,000	969	307	706	1,418	2,202	500	465	292	692	7,701	10,701
North Brook	Mrs. Tom H. Wehunt, Rt.1, Cherryville	28021	0	0	0	1,882	432	10	154	310	25	133	172	25	0	1,262	3,144
Oak Grove	Mrs. Lester Martin, Rt.2, Box 785, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	1,916	341	25	69	262	25	25	25	25	0	797	2,713
Olivet	Mrs. Virgie W. Faust, Rt.2, Box 55, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	4,375	437	30	244	540	0	1,453	56	0	56	2,821	7,196
Pearl	Mrs. Carroll Beam, Rt.1, Box 63, Iron Station	28080	0	0	0	1,920	540	39	145	418	0	0	75	82	0	1,299	3,219
Piney Grove	Mrs. Vera Caldwell, Rt.2, Box 584, Newton	28658	250	0	250	300	277	5	144	327	0	53	74	0	9	890	1,440
Poole's Chapel																	
Reepsville	Mrs. Lee Boyd, Rt.2, Box 23 A, Vale	28168	0	0	0	5,395	800	0	1,063	1,747	0	0	0	0	0	3,610	9,005
River View	Mrs. Lemuel Summey, Rt.3, Box 1017, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	5,380	445	148	721	1,116	10	49	54	43	168	2,754	8,134
Roseland	Mrs. Robin Rhyne, Rt.2, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	106	0	21	6	0	25	0	25	0	193	193
Salem	Mrs. Bobby J. Hord, Rt.7, Box 937, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	2,500	825	299	496	400	750	670	576	0	1,000	5,016	7,516
Sharon	Mrs. Kenneth Shuli, Rt.1 Box 221, Iron Station	28080	0	0	0	250	100	50	155	750	0	50	35	50	0	1,190	1,440
Southside	Mrs. Glenn Morrison, P.O. Box 101, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	6,800	860	129	564	930	200	177	300	110	194	3,464	10,264
Temple	Mrs. Leoah Mitchem, Rt.4, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	120	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	120
Westport	Mrs. Sam Henderson, Rt.2, Box S 241, Denver	28037	0	0	0	2,484	100	0	104	242	0	24	0	23	300	693	3,177
TOTAL			430	70	500	162,420	23,914	6,448	22,686	38,491	5,328	11,712	5,969	3,330	25,865	138,561	301,601

TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION — YEAR ENDING September 30, 1974 (Month & Day)

Association: South Fork

State: North Carolina

Moderator: Coy H. Dellinger

Address: Route 1 — City: Cherryville — State: North Carolina — Zip: 28021

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)		28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53
			No. church-type missions started during the year	No. church-type missions currently operating	No. other-type missions started during the year	No. other-type missions currently operating	Number of active deacons	Number of church vocations volunteers	Doctrinal Emphasis Week enrolment	Number of college students baptized	Kindergarten enrolment	Day care enrolment	Does church plan or contemplate a major building program within the year?	Does church have or observe? Library	Recreation staff	Children's worship service	Youth Week	Summer Youth Program	History Committee	Directors on Mission Program	Christian Home Week	Annuity Board Retirement Program	Annuity Board Insurance Program	Race Relations Sunday	Royal Ambassador Week	Filmstrip projector	Deacon training	State paper in budget
Amity	James Haskett, Rt.3, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	7	3	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	Y
Antioch	Ralph Laney, Rt.5, Box 1145, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N
Bethel	Mark Harill, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y
Boger City			0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Calvary	Calvin Ward, Rt. 1, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N
Cedar Grove	Charles Withers, Rt.2, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y
Center View	Flink K. Hovis, Rt.2, Box 308, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	Y
Coral Park																												
Craig Memorial	Tommy Huskins, 403 Sunset Dr., Stanley	28164	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
Crouse			0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
David Memorial	H. Donald McSwain, Rt.7, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N
Faith	Ben Helton, Rt. 1, Stanley	28164	0	0	0	0	8	1	0	0	0	0	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y
Fellowship	James Cody, Rt.1, Iron Station	28080	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N
Friendly Chapel	Darris Turbyfill, Rt.1, Box 211, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Gainsville	Ralph Hawkins, Rt.1, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N
Howard's Creek	Marshall G. Gilbert, Rt.1, Box 432, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Hudson Chapel	Woodrow Edwards, P. O. Box 217, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Hull's Grove	Mike J. Gilbert, Rt.1, Box 372, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N
Lawing's Chapel	Worth Black, Rt.2, Box 367 A, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y
Leonard's Fork	Vance Heavner, Rt.1, Crouse	28033	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Lincoln Avenue	J. W. Schronce, 310 Dale Ave., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
Lincolnton - First	Joe M. Bondurant, P. O. Box 714, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	18	2	0	2	0	0	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
Lincolnton - North			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Lincolnton - West	Carroll Houk, Rt.2, Box 392, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Long Shoals	Fred Gates, Rt. 4, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	

Macedonia	George Robinson, Rt.3, Box 505, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	1	0	0	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y
Maiden - East	Shuford Campbell, Rt.4, Box 86, Newton	28658	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y
Maiden - First	John Watts, Rt.2, Box 93 A, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	24	47	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N
Massapoag	John Clark, 210 Little St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	N
Mathis Chapel	Floyd Sigmon, Rt.2, Box 188, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Mt. Anderson	Vernon Caldwell, Rt.1, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
Mt. Ruhama	Coyte Punch, Rt.1, Box 311, Maiden	28650	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y
Mt. Zion	William Stroupe, Rt.1, Alexis	28006	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Mountain View	Carrol E. Goodson, Rt.1, Box 93, Denver	28037	0	0	0	0	13	2	0	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N
North Brook	Clyde Warlick, Rt. 1, Cherryville	28021	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N
Oak Grove	Nelson Beam, Rt.6, Box 625, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N
Olivet	Basil Thomas, Rt.2, Catawba	28609	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	1	0	0	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y
Pearl	Forrest Sain, Rt.1, Box 7, Iron Station	28080	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N
Piney Grove	Carroll Lee, Rt.2, Newton	28658	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
Poole's Chapel																												
Reepsville	Buford Bumgarner, Rt.5, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y
River View	Herbert Roach, P. O. Box 463, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N
Roseland	Glenn P. Green, Box 5141, Boger City	28092	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Salem	Bob Hawley, Rt.2, Box 312, Dallas	28034	0	0	0	0	9	1	0	0	0	0	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y
Sharon	W. E. Beal, Rt.3, Box 110, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N
Southside	Roney Sides, Rt.4, Box 158, Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y
Temple	Denver Bailey, 2111 E. Main St., Lincolnton	28092	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Westport	Sam Henderson, Rt.2, Box S241, Denver,	28037	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
TOTAL			0	0	0	0	339	11	0	5	24	47																

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The next Annual Session will be held with the

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Lincolnton, North Carolina
October 19, 1976

and

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Lincolnton, North Carolina
October 20, 1976

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1975-1976

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COMMITTEES

Committee on Committees

One year	James F. Collette,Chm.	Kenneth Wehunt
Two years	Charles H. Ingle	Paul Hilton
Three years	Mrs. Bobby Baker	Winfred Turner

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One year	Charles H. Ingle,Chm.	Emmett Turbyfill
Two years	Melvin D. Rabb	E. Z. Willis
Three years	Harold L. Brown	John Clark

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One year	Hartwell E. Condrey	J. M.Sherrill
Two years	Billy C. Beaver	Bob Hawley,Chm.
Three years	Donald Willis	David Ross

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One year	B. J. Morris	J. E. Helms
Two years	Charles N. Cranford, Chm.	Albert C. Helms,Jr.
Three years	Alvin Hoyle	Elliott Loftin

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One year	Robert A. Cantwell,Chm.	Bobby J.Hord
Two years	William Justice	Kennith D. Adams
Three years	D.Harding Caldwell	Guy P. Helms

Program Committee

One year	Nathan L. May	Mrs. Wayne Johnson
Two years	Donald L. Ballenger, Chm.	Mrs. Earl F. Armstrong
Three years	Donald W. Ferrell	L. Deck Taylor

Evangelism Committee

One year	Foyd Bennett, Chm.
Two years	Grady Bumgarner
Three years	John P. Smith

Ordination Committee

One year	Paul Crotts	Charles Moseley, Chm.
Two years	Fred A. Carpenter	William Painter
Three years	Floyd T. Kirksey	Aaron Wylie

Resolutions Committee

One year	Mrs. Joe D. Drum, Chm.
Two years	Parks C. Harris
Three years	J. C. Beal

Stewardship Committee

One year	Alvin Stewart, Chm.
Two years	J. W. Crouse
Three years	Bill R. Cook

Christian Life Committee

One year	Buford Bumgarner
Two years	Loyd J. Spencer, Chm.
Three years	Joe D. Drum

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MESSENGERS

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MAIDEN, FIRST-Mr. and Mrs. Kennith Adams, Rev. Billy C. Beaver, Mrs. Leon Drum, Rev. and Mrs. James B. McQuere, Mrs. Florence Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams

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RIVERVIEW-Nina H. Brackett, Mrs. Nell Harless,Cecil Ramsey, Frances Roach, Herbert N. Roach
ROSELAND-Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Crouse
SALEM-Rev. Charles N. Cranford
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SOUTHSIDE-Betty Damerson, Mrs. David Mitchell, Mrs. Glenn Morrison, Mrs. Robert Whitesides
TEMPLE-Rev. Dewey Crouse, Jr.
WESTPORT-Benny Brown, Donald W. Clark, Chris DiCiaccio, Mr. and Mrs. Kemp Harris, Rev. Guy Helms, Tommy Williams

PROGRAM

THEME: PROCLAMATION '76

Tuesday, October 21, 1975

3:30 Registration
4:00 Worship — Beeler J. Morris
4:15 Organization and Order of Business
Welcome — Bill Hoffman
Recognition of Visitors
Introduction of New Workers — Don L. Ballenger
4:25 Moderator's Address — Coy H. Dellinger
4:50 Hymn
4:55 Reports and Miscellaneous Business
Treasurer — Mrs. J. E. Helms
Finance Committee — Alvin L. Hoyle
Executive Committee — Elliott Loftin

	Committee on Committees	James F. Collette
	Missions Committee	Charles N. Cranford
	Nominating Committee	Floyd T. Kirksey
	Program Committee	D. Harding Caldwell
5:15	Scripture Reading and Prayer	Alvin L. Hoyle
	Message in Music	Mrs. Harry Campbell
	Annual Sermon	Guy P. Helms
6:00	Benediction	Aaron Wylie
	Supper	
7:00	Worship	Charles Moseley
7:15	Special Music	Choir, First Baptist Church Lincolnton
7:25	Director of Missions' Address	James B. McQuere
7:50	Hymn	
7:55	Special Music	Choir, First Baptist Church Lincolnton
8:05	"Cooperative Program - 50th Anniversary"	Allen A. Bailey, President Baptist State Convention of N. C.
8:45	Benedication	William G. Painter

Wednesday, October 22, 1975

9:30	Worship	Melvin D. Rabb
9:45	Children's Homes	W. R. Wagoner
10:15	Annuity Board	Cecil Fox
10:25	Baptist Foundation	C. Gordon Maddrey
10:35	Hymn	
10:40	Christian Higher Education	R. Lewis Beal
11:05	Christian Literature	Woodrow W. Hill
11:15	South Mountain Camp	T. A. Lineberger
11:25	Election of Officers and Miscellaneous Business	
11:35	Hymn	
11:40	Memorial Service	James Calvin
11:50	Message in Music	Mr. & Mrs. Kennith D. Adams
11:55	Missionary Address	Miss Sara Ann Hobbs Executive Secretary Woman's Missionary Union of N. C.
12:30	Benedication	Dale W. Holden
	Lunch	

PROCEEDINGS
October 21, 1975

The ninety-seventh annual session of the South Fork Baptist Association was called to order by Moderator Coy H. Dellinger at 4:00 p.m.

Kennith D. Adams led the congregation, with Mrs. Robert Cantwell at the piano, in singing "I Stand Amazed in the Presence."

Beeler J. Morris led the worship period reading from Daviel 2:26-28a. "How much do we believe in God?"

D. Harding Caldwell made the following motion: Mr. Moderator: I move that those now registered as messengers and those who shall yet register shall constitute the ninety-seventh annual session of the South Fork Baptist Association. Motion Carried.

D. Harding Caldwell made the following motion: I move that the program as printed on pages 1 and 2 in the Book of Reports shall be the order of business with whatever changes that shall become necessary. Motion carried.

Bill Hoffman welcomed the association on behalf of the host church.

Coy Dellinger recognized visitors: Ralph Harris, Harmon, Virginia.

Don Ballenger recognized and welcomed the following new pastors into our association: Paul R. Crotts, Cedar Grove; William O. King, Jr., Hudson Chapel; G. C. Wray, Leonard's Fork; Charlie Keener, New Hope; James Calvin, Pearl; Dewey Crouse, Jr., Temple;Minister of Music and Education L. Deck Taylor, Lincolnton, First.

Moderator at this time turned the chair over to the Vice-Moderator.

Elliott Loftin presiding, recognized Coy H. Dellinger for the Moderator's address: Reading from Acts 1:8-11 and Matthew 28-19-20. We have the greatest message in all the world to proclaim and we can best accomplish this mission by uniting and working together. We have the greatest Man to tell the world about. We have the greatest cause of the world to reach lost people for Christ.

Kennith D. Adams led the congregation in the singing of "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus."

The following reports were presented and adopted: Treasurer (page 22) Mrs. J. E. Helms; Finance Committee (page 12) Alvin L. Hoyle; Executive Committee (page 11) Elliott Loftin; Committee on Committees (page 10) James F. Collette; Missions Committee (pages 16-17) Charles N. Cranford. Recommendation: At the September 1975 meeting of the Executive Committee they accepted New Hope Baptist Church, located on the Prison Road about one and one-half miles from Highway #321 between Maiden and Newton, under the watchcare of the Association. We recommend that this church be continued under watchare for the coming year. Adopted. Nominating Committee (page 17) Floyd T. Kirksey. These reports are found in the 1975 Book of Reports.

Program Committee report by D. Harding Caldwell. We recommend: That the ninety-eight annual meeting be held with Salem Church on the first day; and with Calvary Church on the second day. We further recommend that Alvin L. Hoyle preach the annual sermon and that J. C. Beal be the alternate.Adopted.

James B. McQuere moved that the balance of the reports be adopted. Adopted.

D. Harding Caldwell spoke regarding an appeal for Gardner-Webb College for a special project the B.E. Morris Chair of Bible.

Coy H. Dellinger appointed the following to Committee on Committees: Winfred Turner, Amity Church and Mrs. Bobby Baker, Boger City Church and James F. Collette as Chairman.

Charles N. Cranford asked that the questionaires on the upcoming crusade be returned by November 5.

B. J. Morris spoke regarding Christian Action League.

James F. Collette encouraged the attendance of every messenger of each church to attend the State Convention in Asheville November 10,11, and 12.

Bill Hoffman gave instructions for the evening meal.

Scripture reading, Acts 1:1-9, and prayer by Alvin Hoyle.

Message in Music by Mrs. Harry Campbell accompanied by Mrs. Robert Cantwell, sang "How Beautiful Upon the Mountain."

Annual sermon was delivered by Guy P. Helms. Our one thought, our one concern, and our one purpose should be that we would want to proclaim this devine Proclamation to the World that we find in Acts and Matthew, the Great Commission.

Aaron Wylie led in the benediction and blessing of the evening meal.

The evening session was called to order by Elliott Loftin, Vice-Moderator at 7:00 p.m.

Kennith D. Adams led the congregation in singing, "To God Be the Glory."

Charles Moseley led the worship period by reading Numbers 14:26-38.

Special Music by the choir of Lincolnton, First directed by L. Deck Taylor sang "There's a Quiet Understanding" and "All Is Well."

James B. McQuere, Director of Missions, spoke on "Proclamation."

Kennith D. Adams led the congregation in singing "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name."

Special Music by the choir of Lincolnton, First, "There's Something About That Name" and "That Resurrection Morn"; solo part by Mrs. Margaret Tipton.

Richard Williams introduced Allen A. Bailey, President of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, who brought the evening address. Theme was "Cooperative Program - 50th Anniversary."

Registration for today 208.

Benediction delivered by William G. Painter.

October 22, 1975

The session was called to order by Moderator at 9:30 a.m.

Kennith D. Adams led the congregation in singing "Come, Thou Fount." Pianist Mrs. Leon Drum.

Melvin D. Rabb led the worship by reading Proverbs 4:18-19 using "Proclaim-Every Pathway has a Destination" as his theme.

Fred A. Carpenter welcomed the association on behalf of the host church and gave instructions for the noon meal.

Coy Dellinger recognized some ladies who had attended for many years and also visiting with us Miss Nancy Curtis, Raleigh.

W. R. Wagoner spoke concerning Children's Homes.

Cecil Fox spoke concerning Annuity Board.

C. Gordon Maddrey spoke concerning Baptist Foundation.

Kennith D. Adams led the congregation in singing "O Worship the King."

D. Harding Caldwell advised count for Tuesday 168 messengers, 40 visitors - total 208. Wednesday 141 messengers, 45 visitors - total 186.

R. Lewis Beal spoke concerning Christian Higher Education.

Woodrow W. Hill spoke concerning Christian Literature.

T. A. Lineberger spoke concerning South Mountain Camp.

Charles N. Cranford nominated Coy H. Dellinger for Moderator. Elected by Acclamation.

Charles Ingle nominated Elliott Loftin as Vice-Moderator. Elected by Acclamation.

James B. McQuere nominated Mrs. J. E. Helms, Clerk and Treasurer. Elected by Acclamation.

Mrs. Joe Drum presented the following report of the Resolutions Committee which was adopted:

RESOLUTION

We are grateful to God for the rich blessings He has bestowed upon us as an association during this past year. For all the progress that has been made we echo the Psalmist "This is the Lord's doings and it is marvelous in our eyes."

We express our appreciation to the Program Committee for a well balanced program and to each one who has participated. Especially are we indebted to those who have traveled a distance to share with us.

We have been fortunate in those who have served in positions of leadership. Their faithfulness to their responsibilities cannot adequately be expressed in words and to them we owe a debt of gratitude.

We are most thankful to the pastors and members of Olivet and Mt. Anderson Churches for their warm welcome and generous hospitality in entertaining this ninety-seventh annual meeting.

We thank God for bringing us together in this time of fellowship and pray we will leave with a new sense of commitment to Proclaim Christ to the "uttermost part of the earth."

Jim Collette spoke regarding Baptist State Convention.

James B. McQuere reported (1) on the Building Fund, (2) that the Book of Reports will be your permanent copy as these will not be reprinted in the annual.

Kennith D. Adams led the congregation in singing "Amazing Grace."

James Calvin led in the Memorial Service to those of our association who have passed away during the year by reading from the Scriptures John 11:21-26 and Revelation 21:4.

Special music by Mr. and Mrs. Kennith D. Adams, "Be Still and Know." Accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Leon Drum.

Special guest speaker - Miss Sara Ann Hobbs, Executive Secretary, Woman's Missionary Union of North Carolina. Her theme - "Out of Adversity-Victory."

Benediction and blessing the meal by Dale W. Holden.

Constitution

Preamble

We, the Missionary Baptist Churches of Jesus Christ, composing the South Fork Baptist Association, convinced of the necessity of an association of churches in order to promote fellowship, missions education, Christian service, the preaching of the gospel, and to cooperate with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention in their work, do hereby agree and subscribe to the following articles.

Article I — NAME

The name of the body shall be the South Fork Baptist Association of North Carolina.

Article II — MEMBERSHIP

The membership of the Association shall be composed of the duly elected messengers from the cooperating Baptist Churches in the South Fork Baptist Association, three for the first one hundred members or fraction thereof, and one for each additional one hundred members or fraction thereof, provided that no church shall have more than ten messengers in addition to the pastor. All Pastors of churches in the Association and the Director of Missions shall be recognized as messengers.

Article III — AUTHORITY

This Association claims to be independent and sovereign in its own sphere, but shall never attempt to exercise any authority over the internal affairs of the churches.

Article IV — ARTICLES OF FAITH

The Articles of Faith of this Association, which shall be the basis of fellowship and cooperation, are those adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention in Memphis, Tennessee on May 14, 1925 and amended in Kansas City, Missouri, May 9, 1963.

Article V — MEETINGS

The Association shall meet annually on Tuesday and Wednesday after the third Sunday in October. The Moderator shall call special meetings of the Association upon the recommendation of the Executive Committee, provided two weeks notice is given to the member churches.

Article VI — OFFICERS

The officers of the Association shall be Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Parliamentarian, Historian, Librarian, and three Trustees. They shall be elected by the Association in its annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting. Vacancies occurring between annual meetings shall be filled by the Executive Committee, except the office of Moderator, in which the Vice-Moderator shall automatically become Moderator.

Article VII — ORGANIZATIONS

The Association shall encourage and promote such associational organizations as Sunday School, Church Training, Women's Missionary Union, Brotherhood, Music and such other organizations which are in keeping with the purpose of this Association with their full staffs and programs necessary for the promotion of the work. The officers of these organizations shall be elected by the Association in its annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting. Vacancies occurring between annual meetings shall be filled by the Executive Committee.

Article VIII — ASSOCIATIONAL BOARD

The Association shall have an Associational Board composed of the officers of the Association, the Director of Missions, the Associational Sunday School Director, the Associational Church Training Director, the Associational W.M.U. Director, the Associational Brotherhood Direc-

tor, the Associational Music Director, the pastors of the member churches, and two members from each member church to be elected by the church. The two members from each church shall be duly certified in the annual letter.

Article IX — ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL

The Association shall have an Associational Council composed of the Director of Missions as chairman, the Moderator, the Associational Sunday School Director, the Associational Church Training Director, the Associational W.M.U. Director, the Associational Brotherhood Director, the Associational Music Director, the chairman of the Executive Committee and the Chairman of Evangelism.

Article X — COMMITTEES

The Moderator shall appoint at the annual meeting of the Association a committee on Committees, consisting of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.

The Association shall have the following standing committees, along with other committees authorized by the Association or the Associational Board.

1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of the Moderator, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, the Chairman of the Missions Committee and six other members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
2. The Finance Committee shall be composed of the Treasurer and six other members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
3. The Missions Committee shall be composed of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
4. The Nominating Committee shall be composed of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
5. The Program Committee shall be composed of six members of whom at least two shall be other than pastors at all times.
6. The Evangelism Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.
7. The Ordination Committee shall be composed of six pastors.
8. The Resolutions Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.
9. The Stewardship Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.
10. The Christian Life Committee shall be composed of three members of whom at least one shall be other than a pastor at all times.

Article XI — NEW CHURCHES

The Association may receive other churches into its fellowship upon receipt of letters of dismission from other like associations. It may also receive newly constituted churches whose Articles of Faith harmonize with the generally accepted Articles of Faith among Southern Baptist. Any newly organized church applying for membership in the Association shall be received under the watchcare for a period of time sufficient to prove, through practice and attitude, its place as a cooperating Baptist church. A church, upon organization, may apply for membership through the Executive Committee of the Association. If, in the judgment of the Missions Committee, such church has met the requirements stated above, the Missions Committee may recommend at the next annual meeting that such church be received into the full fellowship of the Association. During this period of watchcare such churches shall be entitled to all rights and privileges of the Association except that their members shall not hold office nor vote.

Article XII — DISCIPLINE

Any church failing to report the annual letter to the Association, or failing to be represented at the annual meeting, or failing to contribute worthily to Associational and Denominational Missions, for two consecutive years, shall be notified by the Executive Committee that if their failure is not remedied by the next annual meeting, recommendation shall be made to remove said church from the fellowship of the Association.

Article XIII — CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES

This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of the Association by a two-thirds majority of the messengers present and voting on the second day, at a time provided by the Program Committee, provided the proposed amendment has been presented to the Executive Committee in writing at least thirty days prior to the annual meeting, and provided the proposed amendment is read to the Association on the first day of the annual meeting.

Article XIV — QUORUM

Messengers from thirty-three and one third percent of the churches enrolled as members of the Association shall constitute a quorum.

By-Laws

By-Law I. Parliamentary Rules

The Parliamentary authority of the Association shall be Robert's Rules of Order (latest revised edition).

By-Law II. Associational Year

The Associational year shall begin October 1 and close September 30.

By-Law III. Meetings

The regular meetings of the Association shall be held at such places as may be decided by the Association in regular session. Change of places that may become necessary shall be decided by the Executive Committee. Each session of the Association shall be opened and closed with prayer.

By-Law IV. Election of Officers

Nominations for Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk and Treasurer shall be made from the floor. The Nominating Committee will present names for all other officers.

By-Law V. Duties of Officers

1. The Moderator shall preside over the meetings of the Association according to the Constitution and By-Laws, and appoint a Committee on Committees. He shall be chairman of the Associational Board and shall be a member of all committees. He shall be ineligible to succeed himself after the second successive term.

2. The Vice Moderator shall preside in the absence, or at the pleasure of the Moderator, and shall be vice chairman of the Associational Board.

3. The Clerk shall send annual report forms to the member churches at least thirty days prior to the annual Associational meeting; keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the Association, supervise the printing and the distributing of the Minutes to the member churches, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee, keep on file copies of the minutes, records and other documents of the Association, and serve as Secretary of the Associational Board. For these services the Clerk may receive an honorarium annually to be decided by the Association.

4. The Treasurer shall receive and bank all funds of the Association in the name of the Association, disburse the same upon instructions from the Association, its Associational Board or as designated in the budget; render an accurate report of receipts and disbursements at the annual meeting, give a report at each quarterly Associational Board meeting; and keep books available and up to date for examination. For mutual protection the Treasurer shall be bonded in such an amount as the Executive Committee shall direct. For these services the Treasurer may receive an honorarium annually to be decided by the Association.

5. The Parliamentarian shall advise and assist the Moderator and the Association with respect to all matters involving proper parliamentary procedure.

6. The Historian shall collect and preserve historical data on the Association and its churches, and shall present a written report at each annual meeting of the Association.

7. The Librarian shall direct and supervise the Library Program of the Association and shall present a written report at each annual meeting of the Association.

8. The three Trustees shall be the legal representatives of the Association in all matters concerning the acquiring or disposing of property, and shall execute in the name of the Association all legal instruments as directed by the Association or the Associational Board.

By Law VI. Duties of Organizational Leaders

1. The Associational Sunday School Director shall promote and supervise the Sunday School Program of the Association, and shall be responsible for the direction of the Vacation Bible School work of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

2. The Associational Church Training Director shall promote and supervise the Church Training Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

3. The Associational Woman's Missionary Director shall promote and supervise the Woman's Missionary Union Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions and in keeping with the Constitution and By-Laws of Woman's Missionary Union of South Fork Baptist Association.

4. The Associational Brotherhood Director shall promote and supervise the Brotherhood Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

5. The Associational Music Director shall promote and supervise the Music Program of the Association in cooperation with the Director of Missions.

By-Law VII. The Associational Board

The Associational Board shall hold four quarterly meetings and others as necessary, and present a written report to the Association at its annual meeting. It shall be the duty of the Associational Board to act for the Association in the interim between annual meetings. It shall carry out the policies and will of the Association.

By-Law VIII. The Associational Council

The Associational Council shall coordinate the activities of the Associational organizations and plan and promote an Associational calendar of activities. It shall meet at least once per quarter.

By-Law IX. Duties of Committees

1. The Committee on Committees shall nominate the members of the several standing committees and present them for election by Association, fill any vacancies that may occur between annual meetings and report these to the Association Board; and appoint special committees that may be authorized by the Association or its Associational Board.

2. The Executive Committee shall administer all matters committed to it by the Association or its Associational Board and decide on routine and emergency matters between sessions of the Associational Board. It shall initiate and recommend matters concerning business management and approve the employment of all personnel, except the Director of Missions. It shall accept applications for membership in the Association from newly constituted churches and may receive said churches under watchcare until the next annual meeting. It shall provide annually for an audit of the Treasurer's records and report the condition of the financial records to the Association. It shall give full guidance and direction to the Director of Missions in formulating plans and promoting the work of the Association in general. It shall meet monthly but a quorum of five shall be necessary to transact business. It shall report quarterly to the Associational Board.

3. The Finance Committee shall plan and present to the Associational Board in its last meeting prior to the annual meeting of the Association an annual budget to be approved by the Board and then present to the Association in its annual meeting for final approval. This committee shall have the general oversight and administration of the financial affairs of the association, and make a quarterly report to the Associational Board.

4. The Missions Committee shall survey communities which appear to be in need of new Baptist work and ministry; seek to enlist churches to sponsor new work in such communities; give guidance and council in procuring temporary and permanent sites for locating such work in accord with Associational policy; and make recommendations to the Association or its Associational Board as to the missionary needs which might be best met through cooperative efforts. It shall advise with any group considering a new church and assist in organizing new churches. It shall make recommendations to the Association concerning all churches under watchcare.

5. The Nominating Committee shall nominate at the annual meeting of the Association the officers of the Association and organizational officers according to Articles V and VI of the Constitution and Associational representatives for the various institutions and agencies of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.

6. The Program Committee shall prepare a printed program for the annual meeting of the Association which shall be sent to all persons on the program and to all pastors at least thirty

days before the annual meeting. It shall direct the enrolment of the messengers at the annual meeting. It shall recommend the place or places for the next annual meeting and the preacher and alternate for the annual sermon.

7. The Evangelism Committee shall promote the total program of Evangelism within the churches of the Association.

8. The Ordination Committee shall, upon request by a member church, assist with the examination and ordination of a candidate for the gospel ministry.

9. The Resolutions Committee shall present to the Association any resolutions it may deem wise. All resolutions presented to the Association shall be referred to the Resolutions Committee, except that by a two-thirds vote of the messengers present on the first day of the Associational meeting, the rules may be suspended and a resolution may be taken up for immediate consideration.

10. The Stewardship Committee shall promote the total program of Stewardship within the churches of the Association. It shall assist the Finance Committee in the promotion of the Associational budget.

11. The Christian Life Committee shall recommend ways in which the Association can work for the promotion of civic righteousness and social uplift.

12. Members of all committees shall be elected to serve on a rotating basis of not more than three years.

By-Law X. Employment Procedures

The Association shall employ a Director of Missions who shall be recommended by the Executive Committee and elected by the Association or the Associational Board. The Director of Missions shall work under the guidance of the Executive Committee and serve as a member of all committees. All other employed personnel, as may be provided in the Associational budget, shall be employed by the Executive Committee.

By-Law XI. Amendments

Amendments to the By-Laws may be made at any annual meeting by a majority of the messengers present.

CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES
1976

JANUARY

1	NEW YEAR'S DAY
5- 9	JANUARY BIBLE STUDY WEEK - HOSEA
11	SOUL-WINNING COMMITMENT DAY
12	Pastors' Conference
13	Pastors' Wives
16-17	HOME MISSION TEACHER TRAINING, CARAWAY
23-24	LAYMEN'S WITNESSING INSTITUTE, GARDNER-WEBB COLLEGE
	HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR'S RETREAT, CARAWAY
25	BAPTIST MEN'S DAY

FEBRUARY

1	BAPTIST WORLD ALLIANCE SUNDAY
	An Evening of Music with Jo Ann Shelton
2- 4	STATE EVANGELISM CONFERENCE, ASHEVILLE
8	RACE RELATIONS SUNDAY
8-14	W.M.U. FOCUS WEEK
9	Pastors' Conference
10	Pastors' Wives
	Associational Council
15	HOMES FOR THE AGING DAY
20-21	BYW PASTORS' WIVES CONFERENCE, MUNDO VISTA
24	Associational Evangelism Conference

MARCH

1	METROPOLITAN MISSIONS CONFERENCE, LEXINGTON
5	B.Y.W. Banquet
5- 6	DAY CAMP WORKSHOP, MUNDO VISTA
7-14	WEEK OF PRAYER FOR HOME MISSIONS AND ANNIE ARMSTRONG EASTER OFFERING
8	Pastors' Conference
9	Pastors' Wives
14	HOME MISSIONS DAY
14-21	YOUTH WEEK
16	Associational Board Meeting
16-17	W.M.U. ANNUAL SESSION, GREENSBORO

17-19 V.B.S. CLINIC, WINGATE COLLETE
19-20 STATE PIONEERS R.A. CONGRESS, CAMPBELL COLLEGE
20 Associational Youth Night
21 Gardner-Webb Day
23-25 GARDNER-WEBB COLLEGE MINISTERS CONFERENCE
30 W.M.U. Annual Meeting, Southside

APRIL

2- 3 PRAISING, CHARLOTTE
WEEKDAY EARLY EDUCATION WORKSHOP
4 NEW DAY FOR TRAINING
4-11 Proclamation '76 Simultaneous Revivals
9-10 CHURCH LIBRARY CONFERENCE, ASHEVILLE
12 Pastors' Conference
Associational V.B.S. Clinic
13 Pastors' Wives
18 EASTER
COOPERATIVE PROGRAM DAY
19-23 DOCTRINAL EMPHASIS WEEK
20-23 ASSOCIATIONAL LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP, RIDGECREST
22-23 SPECIAL WORKERS RETREAT, MUNDO VISTA
23-24 YOUTH CONVENTION, RALEIGH
WEEKEND R.A. CAMP, CARAWAY
23-25 FAMILY CAMPING WEEKEND, CARAWAY
25 LIFE COMMITMENT SUNDAY
30-May 1 WEEKEND R.A. CAMP, CARAWAY
30-May 2 FAMILY CAMPING WEEKEND, CARAWAY

MAY

2- 9 CHRISTIAN HOME WEEK
7- 8 FAMILY LIFE CONFERENCE, GREENSBORO
B.Y.W. RETREAT, MUNDO VISTA
9 MOTHER'S DAY OFFERING
10 Pastors' Conference
11 Pastors' Wives
Associational Council
16 RADIO & T.V. SUNDAY
17-20 SENIOR ADULT CONFERENCE, CASWELL
21-22 MOTHER-DAUGHTER CAMP, MUNDO VISTA
28-29 CORRECTIONAL MINISTRIES CONFERENCE, RALEIGH
29 B.Y.W. Prayer Retreat

JUNE

13-14	W.M.U. ANNUAL MEETING, NORFOLK, VA.
15-17	SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION, NORFOLK, VA.
20	BAPTIST COLLEGE DAY
21	Pastors' Conference
22	Associational Board Meeting

JULY

4	INDEPENDENCE DAY
5- 9	WEEK OF CHRISTIAN STUDY AND FELLOWSHIP, MARS HILL COLLEGE
9-11	ACTEENS LEADERS' RETREAT, MUNDO VISTA
11	CHRISTIAN LITERATURE DAY
12	Pastors' Conference
7-13	W.M.U. CONFERENCE, RIDGECREST
23	Acteen Prayer Retreat

AUGUST

9	Pastors' Conference
10	Associational Council
13	YOUTH EVANGELISM NIGHT, GREENSBORO
15-21	WEEK OF PRAYER FOR ASSOCIAIONAL MISSIONS
27-28	ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS WORKSHOP, MUNDO VISTA
29	ON-TO-COLLEGE DAY
30	Church Clerks Workshop
31	Church Clerks Workshop

SEPTEMBER

6	LABOR DAY
9	State Missions Conference
10-11	BROTHERHOOD LEADERSHIP TRAINING, CARAWAY
	B.Y.W. COUPLES RETREAT, MUNDO VISTA
13	Pastors' Conference
14	Pastors' Wives
	Associational S.S. Leadership Night
17-18	MOTHER-DAUGHTER CAMP, MUNDO VISTA
19	STATE MISSIONS OFFERING
20	Acteen Singspiration, Westport
21	CHURCH BUILDING CONFERENCE, CHARLOTTE
	Associational Board Meeting
24-26	BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL MEN'S RETREAT, CARAWAY

26-Oct. 2 SUNDAY SCHOOL PREPARATION WEEK

OCTOBER

1- 2 PASTORS/S.S. DIRECTORS WORKSHOP, CARAWAY
6 COOPERATIVE PROGRAM PRAYER EMPHASIS(each Wed.)
8-10 DEACONS RETREAT, CARAWAY
10 BIBLICAL RECORDER DAY
11 Pastors' Conference
12 Pastors' Wives
15-16 CRUSADER R.A. CAMP, CARAWAY
S.S. AGE GROUP WORKSHOP, RIDGECREST
B.Y.W. CONVENTION
18-20 SENIOR ADULT RETREAT
19 Annual Associational Meeting
20 Annual Associational Meeting

NOVEMBER

5- 6 CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS/PASTORS CONFERENCE, HICKORY
7-13 R.A. WEEK
8 Pastors' Conference
9 Pastors' Wives
Associational Council
14 AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY DAY
14-15 STATE LAYMEN'S CONFERENCE, FAYETTEVILLE
15-17 BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION, FAYETTEVILLE
19 JANUARY BIBLE STUDY, GARDNER-WEBB COLLEGE
19-20 ACTEENS OFFICERS RETREAT, MUNDO VISTA
STATE CRUSADER R.A. CONGRESS
25 THANKSGIVING DAY
28-Dec. 5 WEEK OF PRAYER FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS AND LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING

DECEMBER

5 FOREIGN MISSIONS DAY
6 "M" Night
13 Pastors' Conference
21 Associational Board Meeting
25 CHRISTMAS DAY
26 STUDENT DAY AT CHRISTMAS

PRECIOUS MEMORIES OF OUR LOVED ONES

AMITY
Mr. George Helton

ANTIOCH
Mr. Ronald Steve Laney

BETHEL
Miss Brenda Schrum
Mrs. C. C. Wease

BOGER CITY
Mr. Lloyd Blalock
Mr. Walter P. Sutton
Deacon V. Dewey Chapman
Mrs. Marie Long Costner
Mrs. Laura K. McAlister
Mrs. Annie Mae Bumgarner-
Charter Member

CALVARY
Mrs. Florence Haynes
Mr. Alton Bentley
Mr. William Vincient
Mr. Fred Hawkins, Sr.
Mrs. Effie Hooper

CENTER VIEW
Mr. Blaine Harris
Mrs. Betty Sue Hoyle
Mrs. Tull Burke
Mrs. Wade Painter

FELLOWSHIP
Mrs. W. R. Honeycutt
Mr. Reuben Meeks
Mr. Ward Godwin

FRIENDLY CHAPEL
Mrs. Mae Ballard

GAINSVILLE
Deacon Henry Alexander
Miss Gladys Connor
Mr. Willey Emmett Smith,Jr.

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Deacon W. R. Hudspeth
Mrs. S. A. Leatherman
Mrs. John Huffman
Mrs. Minnie Moose

HULL'S GROVE
Mr. David C. Hull
Mrs. Clayton Willis

LAWING'S CHAPEL
Mr. Clarence Abernathy
Mrs. Walter Sherrill

LINCOLN AVENUE
Mr. Lannie Alexander

LINCOLNTON, FIRST
Mrs. Alma Cloer
Mr. Robert Cornwell
Mr. Ben Harrill, Jr.
Deacon Limer Peek
Deacon J. L. Procter
Mr. Howard Robinson
Mr. Fred Ross

LONG SHOALS
Mr. Jim Queen
Mrs. Bert Lynn

MACEDONIA
Mr. Donald E. Brown

MAIDEN, EAST
Mrs. Connie Fortenbery
Mrs. Lillie Whisnant
Mr. Clyde Schronce
Mrs. Stamey Campbell
Mrs. Ada Abernathy

MAIDEN, FIRST
Mrs. Edith Caldwell
Mrs. Lilly Campbell
Mrs. George C. Lowman
Mrs. G. C. Madison

MATHIS CHAPEL
Mr. Robert (Bob) Wilkenson
Deacon W. B. Lynch
Mr. George Taylor, Jr.

MOUNT ANDERSON
Mrs. Robert Hawk

MOUNT RUHAMA
Mrs. Ben H. Williams
Mrs. W. Bartley Caldwell
Deacon Ernest Glenn Abernethy
Mrs. Sallie Lowrance
Mrs. Worth S. Moore

MOUNT ZION
Mrs. Millie F. Bunday

MOUNTAIN VIEW
Mrs. Eppsie Clark Cline
Mr. James Powell Helton
Mrs. Alda Hicks Overcash
Mrs. Marie Thompson Killian

NORTH BROOK
Mr. Jack Bolick

OAK GROVE
Mr. Carlos Reynolds
Mrs. Carlos Reynolds

OLIVET
Mrs. James Harwell, Sr.
Mrs. Bob (Effie) Eades
Miss Hazel Eades
Mr. L. A. Hilderbrandt

REEPSVILLE
Deacon Burton Ingle
Mr. Arnold Jordon

RIVER VIEW
Mr. Prince Lee Mauney
Deacon Bertie L. Rhyne
Mr. Boyce M. Reynolds
Mr. A. M. Harless

ROSELAND
Mr. Columbus Smith

SALEM
Mr. Jim Cloninger
Mr. Claude Hovis, Sr.
Mrs. L. D. Lineberger
Mr. L. D. Lineberger

SHARON
Mrs. Addie Buff

SOUTHSIDE
Mrs. Mattie Self
Deacon Joe Hawkins

HISTORICAL TABLES

Year	Place of Meeting	Moderator	Clerk	Preacher of Annual Sermon
1878	Kid's Chapel	W. A. Graham	J. H. Booth	D. W. Thomasson
1879	Hickory Grove	W. A. Graham	J. G. Hill	T. H. Pritchard
1880	Mount Ruhama	W. A. Graham	J. G. Hill	J. R. Jones
1881	Ezra Mull's Chapel	W. A. Graham	P. M. Mull	J. F. Morris
1882	Salem	W. A. Graham	P. M. Mull	J. K. Faulkner
1883	Mount Zion	J. K. Faulkner	L. A. Abernethy	J. K. Faulkner
1884	Mountain Grove	J. F. Morris	W. W. Bridges	J. F. Morris
1885	Sandy Plains	W. A. Graham	Azor Shell	J. K. Faulkner
1886	Kid's Chapel	W. A. Graham	Robert A. Keever	N. B. Cobb
1887	Macedonia	W. A. Graham	Robert A. Keever	J. F. Morris
1888	Warlick's Chapel	J. F. Morris	J. Thomas McLean	W. R. Gwaltney
1889	Olivet	W. A. Graham	J. Thomas McLean	W. A. Pool
1890	Mount Zion	W. A. Graham	S. A. Stroup	D. P. Bridges
1891	Hickory, First	W. A. Graham	J. Thomas McLean	J. A. Hoyle
1892	Olivet	W. A. Graham	A. W. Setzer	A. W. Setzer
1893	Bruington	C. M. Murchison	J. Thomas McLean	C. M. Murchison
1894	Maiden, First	C. M. Murchison	J. Thomas McLean	E. F. Jones
1895	Newton, First	C. S. Cashwell	L. A. Abernethy	E. F. Jones
1896	Gastonia, First	W. A. Graham	J. R. Lewis	C. S. Cashwell
1897	Kid's Chapel	W. A. Graham	L. A. Abernethy	D. M. Austin
1898	Penelope	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	C. H. Durham
1899	Mount Holly	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	W. R. Gwaltney
1900	Bethel	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	J. L. Vipperman
1901	Olivet	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	W. F. Watson
1902	McAdensville	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	J. W. Watson
1903	Maiden, First	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	W. F. Gwaltney
1904	Hickory, First	W. A. Graham	D. P. Bridges	J. W. Watson
1905	Dallas	W. A. Graham	R. S. Lewis	P. H. Purnell
1906	Lincolnton, First	W. A. Graham	R. S. Lewis	W. H. Reddish
1907	Olivet	W. A. Graham	R. S. Lewis	Baylus Cade
1908	Gastonia, First	W. A. Graham	J. D. Moore	R. D. Carroll
1909	Corinth	W. A. Graham	R. L. Sigmon	J. D. Harte
1910	Mount Zion	Osborne Brown	R. L. Sigmon	A. W. Setzer
1911	Long Creek	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	R. D. Carroll
1912	Maiden, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	I. T. Newton
1913	Mount Holly	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. J. Beach
1914	Macedonia	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. C. Barrett
1915	West Hickory	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. S. Connel
1916	East Gastonia	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. D. Harte
1917	Newton, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	F. M. Huggins
1918	Belmont, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. L. Vipperman
1919	Lincolnton, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. R. Bradshaw
1920	Mountain Grove	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. W. Rimmer
1921	Lawing's Chapel	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	W. R. Bradshaw
1922	River View	J. A. Snow	J. F. Click	H. C. Whitener
1923	Catawba	J. A. Snow	J. F. Click	H. R. Freeman
1924	Penelope	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	C. M. Robinson
1925	Lincolnton, First	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	T. C. Singleton
1926	Macedonia	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	C. D. Barton
1927	Corinth	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	J. A. Ivey
1928	Mount Ruhama	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	R. G. Short
1929	Mount Zion	Osborne Brown	J. F. Click	E. F. Hardin
1930	Warlick's	Osborne Brown	R. H. Harrill	C. F. Pittman
1931	Maiden, First	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	J. R. Cantrell
1932	Mountain Grove	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	M. I. Harris
1933	Olivet	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	R. K. Redwine
1934	Macedonia	L. L. Hatfield	R. H. Harrill	W. W. Marr
1935	Providence	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	T. H. Roach
1936	River View	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	W. R. Bradshaw
1937	Catawba	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	E. F. Sullivan
1938	Boger City	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	C. H. Henderson
1939	North Newton	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	L. A. McClure

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1940	Lincolnton, First	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	O. C. Ulmer
1941	Mount Ruhama	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	Y. C. Elliott
1942	Penelope	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	H. B. Jones
1943	Maiden, First	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	C. C. Holland
1944	Hickory, First	L. L. Hatfield	M. S. Brittain	J. Louis Price
1945	Boger City	L. L. Hatfield	R. T. Boatwright	R. C. Shearin
1946	Highland, Newton First	L. L. Hatfield	R. T. Boatwright	R. K. Benfield
1947	Catawba, Macedonia	L. L. Hatfield	R. T. Baotwright	R. G. Mace
1948	Brown Memorial, Olivet	L. A. McClure	R. T. Boatwright	E. F. Sullivan
1949	Center View, Salem	L. A. McClure	Fritz D. Hemphill	L. R. Williams
1950	Lincoln Ave., Warlick's	L. A. McClure	Fritz D. Hemphill	Wyman E. Wood
1951	Mt. Ruhama, W. Hickory	R. K. Benfield	Fritz D. Hemphill	Ben R. Coley
1952	Gainesville, Lawing's Chapel	R. K. Benfield	Fritz D. Hemphill	Harold M. White
1953	Lincolnton, 1st, Mtn. Grove	R. K. Benfield	Fritz D. Hemphill	Victor L. Andrews
1954	Mountain View, Amity	E. F. Sullivan	Fritz D. Hemphill	Harvey Laughter
1955	Penelope, Southside	Fritz D. Hemphill	Miss Helen Cater	Fritz D. Hemphill
1956	River View, Salem	Latt Beshears	Alvin A. Walker	Woodrow D. Flynn
1957	Lincolnton, First, Reepsville	Latt Beshears	Alvin A. Walker	Linwood Peterson
1958	Boger City, Mt. Zion	Latt Beshears	Alvin A. Walker	A. R. Waters
1959	Long Shoals, E. Maiden	J. D. Hillman	Alvin A. Walker	Eddie Reynolds
1960	Lawing's Chapel, Maiden 1st	J. D. Hillman	Alvin A. Walker	Herbert Miller
1961	Lincoln Ave., Southside	Eddie Reynolds	Alvin A. Walker	Wayne Haynes
1962	Mt. Ruhama, Center View	C. H. Greene	Alvin A. Walker	Riley N. Huckaby
1963	East Maiden, Mt. Anderson	C. H. Greene	Alvin A. Walker	R. E. Hicks
1964	Olivet, Leonard's Fork	D. Harding Caldwell	Alvin A. Walker	Fred E. Thompson
1965	Mtn. View, Mt. Zion	D. Harding Caldwell	Alvin A. Walker	R. W. Morrow
1966	Gainesville, Reepsville	Richard E. Hicks	D. Harding Caldwell	Frank Taylor
1967	Lincolnton, First, Antioch	Richard E. Hicks	Robert M. Garrett	Cecil L. Ballard
1968	Salem, Hull's Grove	E. B. Elmore	Mrs. W. F. Henry	E. W. Friday
1969	Maiden, 1st, River View	E. B. Elmore	Mrs. W. F. Henry	Robert M. Garrett
1970	Mt. Ruhama, Boger City	Charles N. Cranford	Mrs. J. B. McQuere	D. Harding Caldwell
1971	Lawing's Chapel, Lincoln Ave.	Charles N. Cranford	Mrs. J. E. Helms	Earl Henry
1972	Amity, Pearl	Earl Henry	Mrs. J. E. Helms	Fred A. Carpenter
1973	East Maiden, Southside	Billy C. Beaver	Mrs. J. E. Helms	Floyd T. Kirksey
1974	Faith, David Memorial	Billy C. Beaver	Mrs. J. E. Helms	Charles N. Cranford
1975	Olivet, Mt. Anderson	Coy H. Dellinger	Mrs. J. E. Helms	Guy P. Helms

TABLE A — CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES (INCLUDE ZIP CODE)	County	Year organized as a church	Location *	Services held twice on Sunday?	Total Baptisms	Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	Present resident members	Present nonresident members	Grand total present members	No. members received from non-Baptist Churches	No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	Value of pastor's home if owned by the church	Value of church property including pastor's home	Total church debt at end of this associational year
Amity	Winfred M. Turner, Rt. 1, Box 248, Denver 28037	Lincoln	1905	1	Y	10	4	11	210	57	267	1	0	20,000	92,000	9,727
Antioch	Charles W. Moseley, Rt. 3, Box 755, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1921	1	Y	12	15	18	240	98	338	0	2	55,000	115,000	0
Bethel	Alvin L. Hoyle, Rt. 5, Box 271, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1895	1	Y	2	2	19	90	117	207	0	2	40,000	155,000	0
Boger City	B. J. Morris, 2201 E. Main St., Lincolnton, 28092	Lincoln	1922	4	Y	20	13	25	549	66	615	7	10	50,000	340,000	17,065
Calvary	Harold L. Brown, Rt. 1, Box 60, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1952	2	Y	22	46	17	281	120	401	0	2	55,000	385,000	175,000
Cedar Grove	Paul Crotts, Rt. 3, Box 89, Maiden 28650	Catawba	1902	1	Y	0	7	4	145	0	145	0	0	15,000	60,000	500
Center View	Parks Harris, Rt. 2, Box 449, Maiden 28650	Catawba	1915	1	N	7	5	8	246	23	269	2	1	40,000	230,000	20,000
Coral Park																
Craig Memorial	James F. Collette, Rt. 1, Box 168, Stanley 28164	Gaston	1938	1	Y	16	6	2	136	89	225	0	0	34,500	137,750	5,689
Crouse	J. C. Beal, Rt. 3, Box 298A, Maiden 28650	Lincoln	1954	2	Y	5	0	2	46	0	46	0	0	0	50,000	0
David Memorial	Loyd J. Spencer, Rt. 6, Box 332, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1949	1	Y	9	8	3	210	2	212	0	1	0	100,000	25,012
Faith	Charles Ingle, Rt. 2, Box 387, Iron Station 28080	Lincoln	1905	1	Y	18	21	18	228	53	281	1	6	20,000	225,000	71,364
Fellowship	Joe D. Drum, Rt. 1, Box 264, Denver 28037	Lincoln	1965	1	Y	35	14	12	238	37	275	0	1	0	100,000	0
Friendly Chapel	Edwin Sherrill, Rt. 2, Box 410, Maiden 28650	Lincoln	1948	1	Y	11	12	9	150	26	176	0	0	12,000	92,000	0
Gainsville	H. E. Condrey, Rt. 1, Box 239, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1922	1	Y	0	0	20	214	0	214	0	1	28,000	207,000	53,040
Howard's Creek	Bobby R. Nantz, Rt. 1, Box 589, Iron Station 28080	Lincoln	1951	1	N	6	9	7	76	6	82	0	0	0	17,000	2,496
Hudson Chapel	Wm. O. King, Jr., 1110 Grovewood Dr., Charlotte 28208	Catawba	1942	1	Y	0	11	11	86	57	143	0	1	20,000	85,000	4,431
Hull's Grove		Lincoln	1897	1	Y	3	3	15	312	48	360	0	0	25,000	100,000	0
Lawing's Chapel	Foyd Bennett, Rt. 2, Box 497, Maiden 28650	Catawba	1907	1	Y	8	7	7	258	34	292	0	0	32,000	125,000	0
Leonard's Fork	C. G. Wray, Rt. 1, Box 290, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1873	1	Y	3	3	3	175	4	179	0	0	30,000	125,000	0
Lincoln Avenue	Albert C. Helms, Jr., P.O. Box 441, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1910	4	Y	40	23	18	427	28	455	7	2	60,000	360,000	0
Lincolnton, First	Robert A. Cantwell, P.O. Box 714, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1859	4	Y	10	24	31	573	153	726	3	3	40,000	425,000	0
Lincolnton, North	A. L. Whitesides, P.O. Box 141, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1952	4	Y	0	4	0	51	0	51	0	0	8,000	14,000	6,400
Lincolnton, West	Leon Davis, Rt. 1, Box 527, Iron Station 28080	Lincoln	1954	1	Y	20	8	6	166	0	166	0	0	0	75,000	12,000
Long Shoals	Grady Bumgarner, Rt. 4, Box 514, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1901	2	Y	11	6	7	220	20	240	0	2	32,100	157,000	4,403

1—Open Country
2—Village (under 500 pop.)
3—Town (500-2499)
4—Small City (2500-9,999)

Medium City (10-000-49,999)
5—Downtown
6—Neighborhood
7—Suburban

Large City (50,000 or more)
8—Downtown
9—Neighborhood
0—Suburban

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Macedonia	William Painter, Rt. 3, Box 550, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1834	1	Y	11	8	5	314	58	372	7	0	45,000	125,000	0
Maiden, East	Melvin D. Rabb, P.O. Box 386, Maiden 28650	Catawba	1927	4	Y	11	8	26	421	55	476	0	5	25,000	265,000	0
Maiden, First	Billy C. Beaver, 51 E. Main St., Maiden 28650	Catawba	1891	4	Y	24	8	10	547	177	724	0	1	35,000	525,000	5,000
Massapoag	Floyd T. Kirksey, Rt. 6, Box 525, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1952	4	Y	3	5	14	142	0	142	0	0	30,000	85,000	21,251
Mathis Chapel	Bruce Mathis, 111 Charlotte Rd., Lincolnton 28092	Catawba	1951	1	Y	3	2	7	108	32	140	0	0	0	45,000	0
Mt. Anderson	Fred A. Carpenter, Rt. 1, Box 301 Maiden 28650	Catawba	1953	1	Y	14	4	17	286	20	306	1	1	55,000	175,000	11,000
Mt. Ruhama	Donald W. Ferrell, Rt. 2, Box 394, Newton 28658	Catawba	1816	1	Y	19	16	9	590	66	659	8	0	36,000	325,000	0
Mt. Zion	Don L. Ballenger, Rt. 1, Box 330, Alexis 28006	Lincoln	1869	1	Y	1	0	7	165	15	180	0	1	18,000	82,000	0
Mountain View	D. Harding Caldwell, Rt. 1, Box 206, Maiden 28650	Catawba	1854	1	Y	15	5	18	280	38	318	0	0	40,000	215,000	0
New Hope	Charlie J. Keener, Rt. 1, Box 25, Hickory 28601	Catawba	1975	1	N	8	3	0	66	0	66	0	0	0	0	0
North Brook	Coy H. Dellinger, Rt. 1, Box 467, Cherryville 28021	Lincoln	1913	1	Y	7	5	2	186	88	274	0	0	30,000	115,000	0
Oak Grove	Aaron Wylie, Rt. 2, Box 838, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1971	1	Y	21	7	8	216	0	216	3	2	35,000	85,000	0
Olivet	Bill C. Hoffman, P.O. Box 56, Long Island 28648	Catawba	1833	1	N	15	9	6	239	75	314	0	0	25,000	205,000	0
Pearl	James W. Calvin, Rt. 1, Box 9, Iron Station 28080	Lincoln	1944	2	Y	16	14	34	308	41	349	0	11	35,000	190,000	8,801
Piney Grove	Bill R. Cook, Rt. 2, Box 595, Newton 28658	Catawba	1904	1	Y	12	8	4	171	48	219	0	0	40,000	220,000	4,523
Poole's Chapel																
Reepsville	Dale W. Holden, Rt. 1, Box 233, Vale 28168	Lincoln	1888	1	Y	19	10	9	343	18	361	0	0	42,500	194,250	0
River View	Nathan L. May, Rt. 6, Box 241, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1897	1	Y	7	14	16	301	32	333	2	4	24,000	219,000	8,893
Roseland	J. W. Crouse, Rt. 6, Box 358, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1945	2	Y	23	6	2	127	0	127	2	0	0	112,000	30,398
Salem	Charles N. Cranford, P.O. Box 676, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1849	1	Y	14	5	19	404	84	488	1	3	0	114,725	42,000
Sharon	Donald Willis, Rt. 1, Box 144, Iron Station 28080	Lincoln	1884	1	Y	2	3	1	145	24	169	0	0	14,000	100,000	1,423
Southside		Lincoln	1925	1	Y	5	14	19	281	107	388	0	4	19,000	317,000	0
Temple	Dewey Crouse, Jr., Route 3, Box 592, Lincolnton 28092	Lincoln	1941	3	Y	0	6	5	92	6	98	0	0	0	20,000	0
Westport	Guy P. Helms, Rt. 2, Box S237, Denver 28037	Lincoln	1963	1	Y	20	31	9	282	26	308	3	0	0	100,000	35,543
TOTALS						538	442	520	11,341	2,048	13,392	48	66	1,165	7,605,725	575,959

TABLE B — THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Cradle Roll enrolment (Birth to 2 years)	Preschool enrolment (Birth through 5 years)	Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Young Adult enrolment—married (18-29 years or H.S. grad. through 29 years)	Young Adult enrolment—married (18-29 years or H.S. grad. through 29 years)	Adult enrolment (30-59 years)	Senior Adult enrolment (60 and over)	Adults Away enrolment	Homebound Units enrolment	General officers enrolment	Enrolment of mission(s) of church	Total ongoing Sunday School enrolment	Average weekly Sunday School attendance	Number of Bible Study groups	Bible Study groups enrolment	Church V.B.S. enrolment	Mission V.B.S. enrolment	Total V.B.S. enrolment
Amity	Joseph S. Davis, Rt. 2, Box 207, Iron Station 28080	0	27	33	34	13	10	58	43	0	0	2	0	220	145	0	0	100	0	100
Antioch	Ned Reynolds, Rt. 3, Box 484, Lincolnton 28092	0	25	29	13	7	24	31	27	0	0	6	0	162	123	0	0	109	0	109
Bethel	Tommy McSwain, Rt. 2, Box 784, Lincolnton 28092	0	8	7	19	8	11	43	13	0	0	5	0	114	74	0	0	79	0	79
Boger City	J. M. Sherrill, 203 Buffalo Shoals Rd., Lincolnton 28092	0	52	89	73	23	0	155	69	0	0	6	0	467	264	0	0	181	0	181
Calvary	Ernest Boone, Rt. 6, Box 64B, Lincolnton 28092	0	36	74	60	9	21	40	46	3	7	6	0	302	196	0	0	173	0	173
Cedar Grove	Arnold Mills, Rt. 3, Box 94, Maiden 28650	0	13	25	13	0	11	18	9	0	0	4	0	93	58	0	0	64	0	64
Center View	J. B. Jones, Rt. 1, Box 166, Maiden 28650	0	5	28	32	14	12	67	39	0	8	3	0	208	153	0	0	92	0	92
Coral Park																				
Craig Memorial	Larry B. Fisher, 109 Airport Rd., Stanley 28164	0	20	27	14	6	29	26	0	0	0	3	0	125	98	1	12	81	0	81
Crouse	J. B. Blackburn, Rt. 6, Box 282, Lincolnton 28092	0	5	8	5	0	6	6	5	0	0	3	0	38	33	0	0	42	0	42
David Memorial	Walter Fortenberry, Rt. 7, Box 778, Lincolnton 28092	0	20	31	23	8	19	12	15	0	0	3	0	131	94	1	12	108	0	108
Faith	Dale Ritchie, Rt. 1, Box 471-H, Stanley 28164	0	36	46	24	12	29	70	25	0	0	4	0	246	138	1	25	75	0	75
Fellowship	Carl Rhyne, Rt. 1, Box 251, Iron Station 28080	0	36	25	31	14	24	30	3	0	0	3	0	166	111	0	0	91	0	91
Friendly Chapel	Darris Turbyfill, Rt. 2, Box 428, Maiden 28650	0	17	25	15	5	22	43	8	0	0	0	0	135	105	0	0	50	0	50
Gainsville	Ronald Burton, Rt. 4, Box 29, Vale 28168	0	35	29	28	11	17	77	0	0	6	4	0	207	102	0	0	80	0	80
Howard's Creek	Marshall Gilbert, Rt. 1, Box 432, Lincolnton 28092	0	2	7	16	7	2	14	1	0	0	0	0	49	39	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson Chapel	Woodrow Edwards, P.O. Box 17, Catawba 28609	0	6	6	20	17	0	9	23	0	0	0	0	81	56	0	0	0	0	0
Hull's Grove	E. Z. Willis, Rt. 1, Box 277, Cherryville 28021	0	41	16	30	0	23	64	83	0	0	2	0	277	159	0	0	134	0	134
Lawing's Chapel	Douglas Felts, Rt. 2, Box 243-A, Maiden 28650	0	47	35	43	14	47	93	23	0	0	3	0	305	195	0	0	118	0	118
Leonard's Fork	Jerry Elmore, Rt. 2, Box 24-A, Vale 28168	0	14	29	11	2	37	21	7	0	0	0	0	121	74	0	0	65	0	65
Lincoln Avenue	Larry Turner, 611 W. Childs St., Lincolnton 28092	0	48	40	51	15	46	54	48	0	0	7	0	309	214	0	0	202	0	202
Lincolnton, First	Dr. M.L. Canaday, P.O. Box 578, Lincolnton 28092	2	56	73	82	7	47	165	70	23	11	5	45	586	348	4	45	157	0	157
Lincolnton, North	Fred Drum, Rt. 2, Box 192, Maiden 28650	0	1	17	9	9	9	4	2	0	0	0	0	51	45	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, West	James Smith, Rt. 1, Lincolnton 28092	0	24	32	30	10	50	11	4	2	0	1	0	164	120	0	0	145	0	145
Long Shoals	Lewis Huss, Rt. 4, Lincolnton 28092	0	40	18	32	0	16	26	24	8	0	3	0	167	90	0	0	107	0	107

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Macedonia	Craig Barker, Rt. 3, Box 611, Lincolnton 28092	0	39	44	40	5	14	92	30	0	0	6	0	270	175	0	0	135	0	135
Maiden, East	Ed. Williams, Jr., 815 Union St., Maiden 28650	0	51	55	37	16	13	124	26	0	0	6	0	328	236	0	0	124	0	124
Maiden, First	Kermit Caldwell, 404 N. Main Ave., Maiden 28650	0	42	58	72	12	41	151	32	0	0	9	0	417	265	0	0	145	32	177
Massapoag	John Clark, 210 Little St., Lincolnton 28092	0	7	16	12	1	13	8	7	0	0	3	0	67	50	1	10	62	0	62
Mathis Chapel	Mitchel Joyner, Rt. 2, Catawba 28609	0	18	14	2	0	16	16	9	0	0	4	0	79	62	0	0	85	0	85
Mt. Anderson	Brian Major, Rt. 1, Box 344, Maiden 28650	0	50	52	47	28	66	23	20	1	5	3	0	295	170	0	0	133	0	133
Mt. Ruhama	Bill Beard, Rt. 2, Box 411, Newton 28658	0	67	61	66	26	20	204	60	0	0	4	0	508	363	0	0	163	0	163
Mt. Zion	Don Lowe, Box 162, Denver 28037	0	33	24	15	8	21	31	18	0	0	2	0	152	82	0	0	75	0	75
Mountain View	Carroll E. Goodson, Rt. 1, Box 93, Denver 28037	0	55	43	37	17	34	102	32	0	18	2	0	340	238	0	0	137	0	137
New Hope	Roger Sigmon, 113 S.E. Ave., Maiden 28650	0	9	8	16	3	5	20	10	0	0	2	0	73	66	0	0	0	0	0
North Brook	Robert Bess, Rt. 1, Box 459 Cherryville 28021	0	17	22	32	0	6	28	23	0	6	3	0	137	78	0	0	60	0	60
Oak Grove	Clinton Leatherman, Rt. 5, Box 241, Lincolnton 28092	0	29	21	27	11	41	23	0	0	0	3	0	155	98	0	0	81	0	81
Olivet	Basil Thomas, Rt. 2, Catawba 28609	0	29	40	30	10	20	48	33	0	0	9	0	220	144	0	0	83	0	83
Pearl	Bobby Huss, 400 Huss St., Lincolnton 28092	0	20	27	44	6	17	48	25	0	0	2	0	189	141	0	0	85	0	85
Piney Grove	Perry Lee Wilkinson, Rt. 1, Box 92, Maiden 28650	0	22	28	25	4	25	36	19	0	0	4	0	163	104	0	0	93	0	93
Poole's Chapel																				
Reepsville	Freddie Seagle, Rt. 1, Box 263, Vale 28168	0	27	54	29	8	14	63	26	2	18	6	0	247	178	0	0	185	0	185
River View	Sam T. Lattimore, 410 Buffalo Shoals Rd., Lincolnton 28092	0	49	41	38	0	49	65	36	0	13	10	0	301	180	0	0	126	0	126
Roseland	Arthur Brown, Rt. 3, Box 390, Lincolnton 28092	0	9	13	17	2	10	26	8	0	0	3	0	88	53	0	0	65	0	65
Salem	Joe Nations, 106 Abby Ave., Lincolnton 28092	0	52	74	36	11	28	40	46	7	7	4	0	305	177	0	0	224	0	224
Sharon	Robert Hovis, Rt. 3, Box 228, Lincolnton 28092	0	11	23	26	3	5	28	21	0	0	3	0	120	80	0	0	67	0	67
Southside	Sam Crowe, Rt. 4, Box 368, Lincolnton 28092	0	13	50	35	8	21	85	30	0	4	6	0	252	155	0	0	102	0	102
Temple	Denver Bailey, F2111 East Main, Lincolnton 28092	0	9	11	10	2	7	18	9	0	0	4	0	70	39	0	0	0	0	0
Westport	Michael Howard, Rt. 2, Box 196C, Sherrills Ford 28673	0	35	25	13	10	48	102	5	0	0	4	0	242	119	3	40	135	0	135
	TOTAL	2	1,307	1,553	1,414	422	1,046	2,518	1,112	44	103	175	45	9,742	6,286	11	144	4,618	32	4,650

TABLE C — TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Preschool enrolment (5 years and under)	Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Yng. Adult enrol. (18-29 yrs. or H.S. grad. to 29 yrs.)	Adult enrolment (30-59 years)	Senior Adult enrolment (60 and over)	General officers enrolment	Total Training Union ongoing enrolment	Average weekly Church Training attendance	New Member Registration			Church leader Training Registration	Short Term Member Training Proj. Registration
											Children	Youth	Adult		
Amity	Mrs. Bobby Baker, Rt. 1, Box 259, Denver, 28037	13	15	13	0	24	4	2	72	60	0	0	0	0	0
Antioch	Gordon Martin, Rt. 3, Box 486, Lincolnton, 28092	11	19	11	8	16	7	4	76	47	0	0	0	0	0
Bethel															
Boger City															
Calvary	Mrs. Marshall Sisk, 325 Academy St., Lincolnton, 28092	20	37	41	48	19	0	4	169	109	0	0	0	0	0
Cedar Grove	Ross Williams, Box 398, Maiden, 28650	3	6	7	0	13	0	2	31	21	0	0	0	0	0
Center View	Gordon Drum, Rt. 1, Box 193, Maiden, 28650	5	10	10	10	16	8	1	60	40	0	0	0	0	0
Coral Park															
Craig Memorial		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	12
Crouse															
David Memorial															
Faith	Billy J. Helton, Rt. 1, Hwy 16, Stanley, 28164	7	20	19	6	45	12	2	101	44	0	0	0	0	35
Fellowship		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	11	0
Friendly Chapel															
Gainsville	Charles Keener, Rt. 5, Box 1325, Lincolnton, 28092	8	10	7	8	19	0	4	56	29	0	0	0	0	0
Howard's Creek															
Hudson Chapel															
Hull's Grove	Tom Canipe, Rt. 4, Box 92, Vale, 28168	20	14	11	19	13	10	2	89	46	0	0	0	0	0
Lawing's Chapel															
Leonard's Ford	James Elmore, Rt. 2, Box 23-B, Vale, 28168	3	3	1	8	17	4	1	37	23	0	0	0	0	0
Lincoln Avenue	Robert Wise, Rt. 2, Box 196, Lincolnton, 28092	21	25	9	25	21	0	4	105	74	0	0	32	69	99
Lincolnton, First	Joe Bondurant, 115 Wendover Dr., Lincolnton, 28092	16	51	40	2	21	4	5	139	64	0	0	0	0	0
Lincolnton, North															
Lincolnton, West															
Long Shoals	Randy Cox, General Delivery, Cherryville, 28021	6	9	9	6	14	4	1	49	25	0	0	0	0	0

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Macedonia	Bill Harris, Rt. 3, Box 853, Lincolnton, 28092	10	23	18	19	37	0	2	109	55	0	6	18	0	0
Maiden, East	Mrs. Elsie Withers, Rt. 4, Box 463, Newton, 28658	15	25	18	5	10	11	2	86	54	0	0	0	0	0
Maiden, First	Gerald Cline, 207 E. Main St., Maiden, 28650	17	24	36	13	20	0	6	116	72	0	0	0	30	15
Massapoag	Mrs. Floyd Kirksey, Rt. 6, Box 525, Lincolnton, 28092	3	12	8	3	10	3	3	42	22	0	0	0	0	0
Mathis Chapel															
Mt. Anderson	Mrs. Tommy Wilkinson, Rt. 2, Box 329, Maiden, 28650	19	20	10	20	18	13	2	102	62	0	0	0	0	0
Mt. Ruhama	Neil Setzer, Rt. 2, Box 270, Claremont, 28610	17	23	31	30	38	18	3	160	109	0	0	0	0	0
Mt. Zion	Calvin Rumfelt, Box 622, Alexis, 28006	3	5	15	0	8	0	1	32	24	0	0	0	0	0
Mountain View	Frank Hoyle, Rt. 2, Box 345, Maiden, 28650	27	25	25	9	51	10	1	148	85	0	0	0	0	0
New Hope															
North Brook	Mrs. Odell Wilcox, Rt. 1, Box 434, Cherryville, 28021	4	6	10	3	15	2	3	43	32	0	0	0	0	0
Oak Grove	Mrs. Rodney Schronce, Rt. 2, Box 774, Lincolnton, 28092	11	7	20	4	29	0	4	75	47	0	0	0	0	0
Olivet	Fred Lytton, Long Island, 28648	9	16	25	0	48	0	3	107	44	0	0	0	0	0
Pear	Robin Kincaid, Rt. 1, Box 15, Iron Station, 28080	3	17	24	17	14	0	2	77	52	7	26	3	0	0
Piney Grove															
Poole's Chapel															
Reepsville	Bill [illegible]ndleton, 305 Lithia Springs Rd., Lincolnton, 28092	16	26	32	0	51	0	4	129	104	0	0	0	0	0
River View	Randy [illegible]antt, Rt. 3, Box 30, Maiden, 28650	25	24	25	0	66	0	4	144	72	0	0	0	32	0
Roseland															
Salem	Fred Dellinger, Rt. 7, Box 603, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	10	0	0	0	2	12	6	0	0	0	0	0
Sharon															
Southside	Earl Armstrong, Rt. 7, Box 10, Lincolnton, 28092	9	28	39	15	16	2	6	115	59	0	0	0	0	0
Temple															
Westport	Chuck Powell, Rt. 1, Box 164A, Denver, 28037	14	18	20	8	25	3	3	91	40	11	2	0	0	0
	TOTALS	335	518	544	286	694	115	83	2,572	1,521	18	34	85	142	161

TABLE D — CHURCH MUSIC

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Preschool enrolment (4-5 years)	Children enrolment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Youth enrolment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Adult enrolment (18 and over)	Handbell ringers enrolment	Vocal ensemble enrolment	Instrumental ensembles enrolment	General music leaders enrolment	Total ongoing church music enrolment	Average weekly church music attendance	Church music study group enrolment
Amity	Mrs. Ray Ballard, Rt. 2, Box 434A, Iron Station, 28080	0	0	12	15	0	0	0	4	31	20	0
Antioch	Milton H. Sigmon, Rt. 2, Box 464, Iron Station, 28080	0	12	0	24	0	0	0	0	36	21	0
Bethel	Tommy McSwain, Rt. 2, Box 784, Lincolnton, 28092	0	8	10	24	0	0	0	1	44	22	0
Boger City	Mrs. James D. White, 101 Fran Ave., Lincolnton, 28092	8	45	20	32	0	0	0	8	113	81	0
Calvary	Douglas Ledford, Rt. 1, Box 206B1, Crouse, 28033	0	40	10	35	0	0	0	0	85	70	0
Cedar Grove	Mrs. Edith Green, Rt. 1, Box 452A, Newton, 28658	0	0	12	15	0	1	0	2	30	22	0
Center View	Preston Turbyfill, Rt. 1, Box 182, Maiden, 28650	3	10	20	40	0	0	0	3	76	60	0
Coral Park												
Craig Memorial	Frank L. Lewis, Rt. 1, Stanley, 28164	0	0	20	30	0	0	0	2	52	52	0
Crouse	J. B. Blackburn, Rt. 6, Box 282, Lincolnton, 28092											
David Memorial	Mrs. Morris McCarter, Rt. 7, Box 954, Lincolnton, 28092	0	8	10	16	0	4	0	3	41	20	0
Faith	Jerry York, Rt. 1, Box 470, Stanley, 28164	0	15	20	25	0	5	0	3	63	40	0
Fellowship	Marvin Mauney, 108 LaFayette St., Stanley, 28164	0	10	16	25	0	2	2	2	57	47	0
Friendly Chapel	Vance Lawing, Rt. 2, Box 405, Maiden, 28650	0	6	4	28	0	0	0	2	40	35	0
Gainsville	Harold Humphries, Rt. 1, Box 235, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	15	0	0	2	2	19	15	0
Howard's Creek	Terrell Robinson, General Delivery, Iron Station, 28080	0	3	6	6	0	0	0	1	16	14	0
Hudson Chapel	Bill Leatherman, Rt. 2, Box 35, Catawba, 28609	0	0	18	20	0	0	0	2	40	30	0
Hull's Grove	Mrs. Don Sain, Rt. 2, Box 111, Vale, 28168	0	0	0	30	0	0	0	0	30	24	0
Lawing's Chapel	Johnnie Shubert, Rt. 2, Box 220, Newton, 28658	0	7	8	25	0	0	0	3	43	40	0
Leonard's Fork	Al Baker, Rt. 1, Crouse, 28033	0	10	0	12	0	0	0	1	23	23	0
Lincoln Avenue	Truett Poteat, Rt. 5, Box 489, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	4	33	0	6	2	0	45	20	0
Lincolnton, First	L. Deck Taylor, 130 Hillcrest Dr., Lincolnton, 28092	16	38	45	37	17	0	0	7	160	108	0
Lincolnton, North	Mrs. James Hoyle, Rt. 4, Box 34, Lincolnton, 28092											
Lincolnton, West	Carroll Houk, Rt. 2, Box 392, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	10	20	0	0	0	0	32	25	0
Long Shoals	Bill Christopher, Rt. 4, Box 514, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	18	30	0	3	2	3	56	25	0

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Macedonia	Miss Ellen Bridges, P.O. Box 692, Maiden, 28650	4	10	5	30	0	0	0	1	50	30	0
Maiden, East	Harold Caldwell, Sr., 1217 E. Main St., Maiden, 28650	0	0	0	30	0	0	0	0	30	25	0
Maiden, First	Kenneth Adams, Rt. 3, Box 445, Maiden, 28650	14	37	42	37	0	12	0	5	147	112	0
Massapoag	Mrs. Carrie Clark, 210 Little St., Lincolnton, 28092	1	5	1	4	0	2	3	3	11	10	0
Mathis Chapel	Kenneth Sigmon, Rt. 2, Box 222, Catawba, 28609											
Mt. Anderson	Doyce Turbyfill, Rt. 2, Box 299, Maiden, 28650	0	10	20	45	0	0	0	4	75	65	0
Mt. Ruhama	Ray Von Caldwell, Rt. 2, Box 587, Newton, 28658	0	0	30	40	0	0	0	3	73	50	0
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Mary H. Hovis, Rt. 1, Box 307A, Alexis, 28006	0	0	11	14	0	0	0	2	27	17	0
Mountain View	Emmett Turbyfill, Rt. 1, Box 298, Maiden, 28650	0	0	25	35	0	0	0	0	60	25	0
New Hope	Clifton Sigmon, 513 W. Finger St., Maiden, 28650											
North Brook	Kenneth Haynes, Rt. 1, Box 453, Cherryville, 28021	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	2	17	12	0
Oak Grove	Mrs. Jack Rhyne. 432 E. Jennings St., Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	20	0	0	1	1	22	15	0
Olivet	Hugh Welborn, Rt. 3, Box 14A, Hamptonville, 27020	0	0	12	25	0	0	0	3	40	30	0
Pearl	Clarence Wheeler, Rt. 3, Box 122, Statesville, 28677	0	0	15	35	0	0	0	1	51	40	0
Piney Grove	Edwin S. Jenks, Rt. 2, Box 175, Claremont, 28610	5	5	25	22	0	0	0	1	58	38	0
Poole's Chapel												
Reepsville	Gerald Pendleton, Rt. 3, Box 1094, Lincolnton, 28092	0	3	10	25	0	0	2	6	46	25	0
River View	Larry Arnold, Box 19, Gardner Webb C., Boiling Springs, 28017	0	0	23	35	0	0	0	1	59	42	22
Roseland	Ricky Link, Rt. 6, Box 405, Lincolnton, 28092	0	3	6	25	0	0	0	1	35	25	0
Salem	Arthur McGinnis, Rt. 1, Stanley, 28164	0	0	15	22	0	0	0	2	39	30	0
Sharon	W. E. Beal, Rt. 3, Box 110, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	18	0	0	0	2	20	20	0
Southside	Mrs. Kenneth Hoyle, Rt. 6, Box 448, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	35	0	0	0	3	38	20	0
Temple												
Westport	Harold Redmon, Rt. 1, Box 370-58, Denver, 28037	5	13	19	31	0	0	6	3	77	60	0
	TOTALS	56	298	522	1,080	17	35	20	93	2,107	1,505	22

TABLE E — WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Number of Organizations							Enrolment						
		Mission Friends (5 years and under)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Yg. Women (18-29 yrs. or H.S. grad. to 29 yrs.)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	Total number of organizations	Mission Friends (5 years and under)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Yg. Women (18-29 yrs. or H.S. grad. to 29 yrs.)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church	Total WMU ongoing enrolment
Amity	Mrs. David Crouse, Rt. 1, Box 260, Denver, 28037	1	1	1	1	1	5	9	7	7	13	10	7	0	53
Antioch	Mrs. Ned Setzer, Rt. 5, Box 1062, Lincolnton, 28092	1	1	1	0	1	4	13	11	6	0	25	8	0	63
Bethel	Mrs. Ted Elmore, Rt. 3, Box 1036, Lincolnton, 28092	1	1	0	1	1	4	5	4	0	6	9	4	0	28
Boger City	Mrs. Joe Grice, 403 Green St., Lincolnton, 28092	1	1	1	0	1	4	15	35	7	0	70	5	0	132
Calvary	Mrs. Roy Houk, Rt. 1, Box 206A2, Crouse, 28033	1	1	1	0	1	4	12	18	19	0	35	3	0	92
Cedar Grove	Mrs. Ross Williams, Box 398, Maiden, 28650	0	0	1	1	1	3	0	0	8	6	7	4	0	25
Center View	Kenneth Gilleland, Rt. 1, Box 161, Maiden, 28650	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	19	1	0	20
Coral Park															
Craig Memorial	Mrs. James F. Collette, Rt. 1, Box 168, Stanley, 28164	1	1	1	0	1	4	8	6	7	0	8	4	0	33
Crouse	Mrs. Mae Carpenter, Rt. 6, Box 403, Lincolnton, 28092	0	1	1	0	1	3	0	4	6	0	5	1	0	15
David Memorial	Mrs. Tim Spencer, P.O. Box 1292, Lincolnton, 28092	1	1	1	1	1	5	5	12	20	10	8	6	0	61
Faith	Mrs. Ethel B. Helton, Rt. 1, Box 189, Mt. Holly, 28120	1	1	1	0	1	4	5	17	12	0	22	2	0	58
Fellowship	Mrs. Marvin Mauney, 108 LaFayette St., Stanley, 28164	1	1	1	0	1	4	6	8	6	0	12	5	0	37
Friendly Chapel															
Gainsville	Mrs. Ralph Hawkins, Rt. 1, Box 41, Lincolnton, 28092	1	1	1	1	1	5	4	12	3	8	12	4	0	43
Howard's Creek															
Hudson Chapel															
Hull's Grove	Mrs. Brintie Brackett, Rt. 2, Box 128, Vale, 28168	1	1	1	0	1	4	6	13	15	19	0	4	0	57
Lawing's Chapel	Mrs. Douglas Felts, Rt. 2, Box 243-A, Maiden, 28650	0	1	1	1	1	4	0	12	10	10	12	1	0	45
Leonard's Fork	Mrs. Vance Heavner, Rt. 1, Box 43, Crouse, 28033	1	1	0	0	1	3	2	8	0	0	10	3	0	23
Lincoln Avenue	Mrs. Bill McAlister, 608 Bonview Ave., Lincolnton, 28092	1	1	1	1	1	5	10	16	10	15	30	1	6	88
Lincolnton, First	Mrs. Harry Davis, P.O. Box 444, Lincolnton, 28092	1	1	1	1	1	5	27	20	18	11	123	7	0	196
Lincolnton, North															
Lincolnton, West															
Long Shoals	Debbie Whitworth, Rt. 4, Box, Lincolnton, 28092	1	1	1	0	1	4	16	8	11	0	12	2	0	49

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Macedonia	Sandra Miller, 115 Abby Ave., Lincolnton, 28092	1	1	1	0	1	4	12	14	14	0	20	1	0	61
Maiden, East	Mrs. Brenda Groce, Rt. 4, Box 277-1, Newton, 28658	1	1	1	0	1	4	10	10	8	0	32	1	0	61
Maiden, First	Mrs. Judy Dudley, Rt. 3, Box 355, Maiden, 28650	1	1	1	0	1	4	13	24	14	0	43	9	0	103
Massapoag	Mrs. Carrie Clark, 210 Little St., Lincolnton, 28092	0	1	1	0	1	3	0	3	2	0	7	3	0	15
Mathis Chapel															
Mt. Anderson	Mrs. Charles Wilkinson, Rt. 1, Box 197, Maiden, 28650	1	1	1	1	1	5	6	12	12	5	31	20	0	86
Mt. Ruhama	Mrs. Leonard Wright, Rt. 1, Box 115, Maiden, 28650	1	1	1	1	1	5	26	23	14	20	35	5	0	123
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Mary Hager, Rt. 1, Alexis, 28006	1	1	1	0	1	4	10	5	4	0	21	1	0	41
Mountain View	Mrs. Harding Caldwell, Rt. 1, Box 206, Maiden, 28650	1	1	1	0	1	4	12	11	12	0	30	12	0	77
New Hope															
North Brook	Mrs. Lee Bess, Rt. 1, Cherryville, 28021	1	1	1	1	1	5	9	4	10	6	14	0	0	43
Oak Grove		0	1	1	0	1	3	0	4	4	0	15	6	0	29
Olivet		1	1	1	0	1	4	14	13	9	0	38	1	0	75
Pearl	Mrs. Wayne Johnson, Rt. 3, Box 599, Lincolnton, 28092	1	1	1	1	1	5	10	8	12	13	10	7	0	60
Piney Grove	Mrs. Webb Wilkinson, Rt. 1, Box 447, Maiden, 28650	1	1	1	0	1	4	5	7	7	0	25	5	0	49
Poole's Chapel															
Reepsville	Mrs. Charles Schronce, Rt. 1, Box 146, Lincolnton, 28092	1	1	1	1	1	5	18	31	22	8	30	9	0	118
River View	Mrs. Vance Coffey, Rt. 6, Box 85, Lincolnton, 28092	1	1	1	0	1	4	23	18	11	0	30	5	0	87
Roseland	Mrs. J. W. Crouse, Rt. 6, Box 358, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	10	0	10	4	0	24
Salem	Mrs. J. E. Lockman, Rt. 7, Box 295, Lincolnton, 28092	1	1	1	1	1	5	23	28	19	12	37	11	0	130
Sharon	Mrs. G. D. Saine, Rt. 1, Box 570, Iron Station, 28080	1	1	1	0	1	4	2	6	5	0	7	2	0	9
Southside		1	1	1	0	1	4	6	13	14	0	22	5	0	60
Temple															
Westport	Mrs. Don Clark, Rt. 2, Box 260, Denver, 28037	1	1	1	1	0	4	5	12	10	25	0	0	0	52
	TOTAL	32	36	36	15	38	157	347	457	378	187	886	179	6	2,421

TABLE F — BROTHERHOOD

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Pioneers (12-17 or grades 7-12)	RA leader and committee	Baptist Men (18-59 years or H.S. grad. to retirement)	Other Baptist men groups	Brotherhood director and other General Officers	Enrolment of mission(s) of church	Total ongoing Brotherhood enrolment	Miscellaneous Baptist men
Amity	Bobby Baker, Rt. 1, Box 259, Denver, 28037	3	6	4	16	0	2	4	35	3
Antioch	Robert Lukach, Rt. 3, Box 776, Lincolnton, 28092	16	0	3	24	0	1	0	44	0
Bethel										
Boger City	Dwight Loomis, P.O. Box 1243, Lincolnton, 28092	25	0	5	15	0	1	0	45	2
Calvary	Coleman Hawkins, 112 Lake St., Lincolnton, 28092	18	20	5	20	0	1	0	64	0
Cedar Grove	Ross Williams, Box 398, Maiden, 28650	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	6	0
Center View										
Coral Park										
Craig Memorial	Ted W. Holland, Rt. 1, Stanley, 28164	7	2	1	12	0	1	0	23	0
Crouse										
David Memorial	Ted Taylor, Rt. 5, Box. 204, Lincolnton, 28092									
Faith	Ellis Brotherton, Rt. 1, Stanley, 28164	13	12	0	10	0	0	0	35	0
Fellowship	Wayne Abernethy, Box 530, Alexis, 28066	14	10	8	20	0	2	0	54	0
Friendly Chapel										
Gainsville	Jay Jones, Rt. 1, Box 269, Lincolnton, 28092	8	8	2	14	0	1	0	33	0
Howard's Creek										
Hudson Chapel										
Hull's Grove	Arnold Craig, Rt. 4, Box 35, Vale, 28168	13	8	3	22	0	0	0	46	0
Lawing's Chapel	Nelson Caldwell, Rt. 2, Box 447, Newton, 28658	7	11	1	0	0	0	0	19	0
Leonard's Fork	Vance Heavner, Rt. 1, Box 43, Crouse, 28033	10	0	0	7	0	0	0	17	0
Lincoln Avenue	Jim Houser, Rt. 1, Box 426-B, Lincolnton, 28092	7	13	4	23	12	4	0	63	2
Lincolnton, First	Dean Humphries, 908 Danbrook Circle, Lincolnton, 28092	27	0	1	40	0	0	0	68	3
Lincolnton, North										
Lincolnton, West										
Long Shoals	Waynes Watts, Rt. 4, Lincolnton, 28092	6	12	2	9	8	1	0	38	0

TABLE F — BROTHERHOOD

Macedonia	Dewey Crouse, Sr., Rt. 3, Box 592, Lincolnton, 28092	18	6	2	11	1	1	0	39	0
Maiden, East	David Sigmon, Rt. 3, Box 317, Maiden, 28650	10	12	1	25	0	1	0	49	0
Maiden, First	Leon Drum, Rt. 4, Box 361, Newton	16	15	3	24	0	1	0	59	0
Massapoag										
Mathis Chapel										
Mt. Anderson	Eddie Lee Caldwell, Rt. 1, Box 391, Maiden, 28650	14	15	4	9	6	1	0	49	0
Mt. Ruhama	Alvin E. Stewart, Rt. 2, Box 570, Newton, 28658	13	14	0	13	0	0	0	40	0
Mt. Zion	W. E. Stroupe, Rt. 1, Alexis, 28006	12	5	2	7	0	1	0	27	0
Mountain View	W. C. Harris, Rt. 2, Box 353, Maiden, 28650	8	8	0	25	0	0	0	41	0
New Hope										
North Brook	Harry Arthur, Sr., Rt. 1, Box 479, Cherryville, 28021	0	12	2	18	0	2	0	34	0
Oak Grove		0	7	2	0	0	0	0	9	0
Olivet		6	5	1	0	0	0	0	13	0
Pearl	Wayne Johnson, Rt. 3, Box 519, Lincolnton, 28092	7	6	4	14	0	0	0	31	0
Piney Grove	Henry Green, Rt. 2, Box 142, Claremont, 28610	14	14	4	14	0	1	0	47	0
Poole's Chapel										
Reepsville	Marshall Saunders, 822 S. Government St., Lincolnton, 28092	29	16	4	26	0	1	0	76	0
River View	Blair Gantt, Rt. 6, Box 117, Lincolnton, 28092	22	15	1	26	0	2	0	66	0
Roseland										
Salem	Jim Plonk, Rt. 2, Box 310, Dallas, 28034	23	26	2	10	1	1	0	63	0
Sharon	Charles Yenny, Rt. 1, Box 167, Iron Station, 28080	7	0	1	6	0	1	0	15	0
Southside	James Whitesides, Jr., Rt. 7, Box 1102, Lincolnton, 28092	20	5	1	8	0	2	0	36	0
Temple										
Westport	Chris Diciaccio, Box 204, Denver, 28037	7	3	3	12		2		27	0
	TOTALS	400	286	76	486	28	31	4	1,311	10

TABLE G — TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP

CHURCHES	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES	Number of tithers	Budget prom. or emphasis used during the year: Simplified	Stewardship Rev.	Comm. to Tithe	Forward Prog.	Alt. For. Prog.	None	Cooperative Program goal as percent of total budget	Associational missions goal as percent of total budget	Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during the year	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
Amity	Mrs. Joseph Davis, Rt. 2, Box 207, Iron Station, 28080	61						x	15.0	.5	46,196	0	46,196	0	14,300	0	9,526	2,200	9,585	35,611
Antioch	Mrs. Wm. Beal, Rt. 5, Box 1069, Lincolnton, 28092	95						x	12.0	2.0	38,611	3,687	42,298	0	9,000	0	0	701	21,649	31,350
Bethel	Mrs. William Rumfelt, Rt. 5, Box 177-B, Lincolnton, 28092	30						x	10.0	5.0	22,556	494	23,050	0	10,065	0	0	863	8,791	19,719
Boger City	J. E. Norwood, 2315 E. Main St., Lincolnton, 28092	150		x					15.0	2.0	86,592	0	86,592	7,000	29,969	0	13,616	2,200	30,000	75,785
Calvary	Miss Janice Smith, 118 Hillcrest Dr., Lincolnton, 28092	180						x		1.5	74,985	0	74,985	0	18,895	15,347	4,649	3,794	23,200	65,885
Cedar Grove	Grady Grindstaff, Rt. 3, Box 89, Maiden, 28650	24				x					16,841	0	16,841	0	7,775	0	1,600	1,154	2,386	12,916
Center View	Kenneth Gilleland, Rt. 1, Box 161, Maiden, 28650	60						x	5.0	1.75	32,499	0	32,499	20,000	8,767	15,000	0	1,272	10,547	35,586
Coral Park																				
Craig Memorial	Mrs. Larry McGinnis, 423 E. Poplar St., Stanley, 28164	70						x	10.0	4.0	35,840	287	36,127	0	14,740	1,986	1,690	2,090	6,939	27,745
Crouse	Elliott Loftin, Rt. 6, Box 238, Lincolnton, 28092	12						x			10,344	698	11,042	0	5,855	1,603	0	176	3,477	11,111
David Memorial	Mrs. Robert Armstrong, Rt. 7, Box 322, Lincolnton, 28092	30				x					20,101	0	20,101	0	8,230	0	5,886	613	5,373	20,102
Faith	Mrs. Charlie Helton, Rt. 1, Box 470-D, Stanley, 28164	62						x	2.0	2.0	38,109	1,926	40,035	0	14,574	0	7,974	2,369	8,410	33,329
Fellowship	James Cody, Rt. 1, Box 245, Iron Station, 28080	53	x						7.0	2.0	39,416	0	39,416	0	7,980	4,000	7,956	928	1,400	22,264
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. Darris Turbyfill, Rt. 2, Box 428, Maiden, 28650	44						x	.0	2.0	20,454	0	20,454	0	6,941	0	1,460	2,014	8,723	19,138
Gainsville	Bill Ledford, 714 Dogwood Dr., Lincolnton, 28092	50						x	15.0	2.5	38,940	50	38,990	60,000	11,180	90,000	6,960	755	5,531	114,426
Howard's Creek	Marshall Gilbert, Rt. 1, Box 432, Lincolnton, 28092	14						x	.0	1.0	7,998	0	7,998	5,000	2,730	0	2,850	122	3,160	8,862
Hudson Chapel	Bill Leatherman, Rt. 2, Box 35, Catawba, 28609	45						x	3.0	1.5	13,806	41	13,847	7,000	6,650	11,111	2,865	134	921	21,681
Hull's Grove	Mrs. Roger Kiser, Rt. 2, Box 155, Vale, 28168	45							10.0	2.0	34,403	0	34,403	0	9,900	0	0	1,371	2,082	13,353
Lawing's Chapel	Jim McAlister, Rt. 2, Box 458, Maiden, 28650	60					x		1.5	1.0	54,264	2,606	56,870	0	13,950	8,800	0	2,648	30,022	55,420
Leonard's Fork	Mrs. Polly Hager, 108 Bost St., Lincolnton, 28092	25						x	10.0	2.0	14,544	0	14,544	15,000	2,630	9,959	2,107	305	450	15,451
Lincoln Avenue	David Ross, Rt. 5, Box 1337, Lincolnton, 28092	175			x				23.0	1.4	85,937	0	85,937	3,000	14,963	4,500	11,032	1,724	30,760	62,979
Lincolnton, First	Mrs. Pauline Sherrill, P.O. Box 714, Lincolnton, 28092								20.0		246,425	0	246,425	0	35,468	50,017	0	2,562	16,783	104,830
Lincolnton, North	Vernon Townsend, Rt. 3, Box 66, Maiden, 28650	5						x	.0	.0	1,000	2,500	3,500	0	1,700	0	1,300	100	100	3,200
Lincolnton, West	Morris Cornwell, Rt. 6, Box 311, Lincolnton, 28092	25						x	.0	1.5	23,000	0	23,000	0	5,980	0	2,184	400	1,800	10,364
Long Shoals	Fred Gates, Rt. 4, Lincolnton, 28092	50						x	10.0		19,161	0	19,161	0	8,555	0	1,246	593	6,777	17,171

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Macedonia	Mrs. Joan Ballard, Rt. 3, Box 630, Lincolnton, 28092	70	x				x	5.0	3.0	67,875	4,397	72,272	0	15,700	21,306	0	1,314	11,743	50,063
Maiden, East	Don Sherrill, Rt. 2, Box 495, Maiden, 28650	101					x			52,772	3,816	56,588	0	17,040	0	0	3,254	17,148	37,442
Maiden, First	Blair Abernathy, 109 E. Boyd St., Maiden, 28650						x	22.0		101,167	12,637	113,804	6,000	33,098	0	9,883	3,640	28,210	74,831
Massapoag	Mrs. Rachel Chapman, Rt. 2, Box 7, Lincolnton, 28092	16		x						12,822	0	12,822	0		372	2,596	650	2,408	
Mathis Chapel	Mrs. Clifford Sherrill, Rt. 1, Box 100, Sherrills Ford, 28673	23								13,319	0	13,319	0	6,355	0	0	336	2,243	8,934
Mt. Anderson	Phil Turbyfill, Rt. 2, Box 792, Lincolnton, 28092	100					x	1.0	1.75	36,305	0	36,305	0	12,684	0	7,400	1,644	8,051	29,779
Mt. Ruhama	Miss Beda Campbell, Rt. 1, Box 435, Maiden, 28650	184					x			91,202	0	91,202	0	19,355	0	0	3,819	26,969	50,143
Mt. Zion	Cull G. Long, Rt. 1, Box 314, Alexis, 28006	38					x	10.0	3.0	24,502	0	24,502	0	9,879	0	0	1,423	5,901	17,203
Mountain View	Donald L. Caldwell, Rt. 1, Box 252, Maiden, 28650		x					12.0	3.0	54,840	0	54,840	0	12,435	0	0	1,444	26,402	40,281
New Hope	Leroy Boggs, Rt. 4, Box 294, Newton, 28658	34					x			8,971	0	8,971	0	1,050	1,630	0	337	476	3,493
North Brook	Mrs. Kemp Wehunt, Rt. 1, Box 460, Cherryville, 28021	50					x	10.0	1.75	25,417	275	25,692	0	9,072	0	0	620	8,351	18,043
Oak Grove	Dale Elmore, Rt. 2, Box 32, Lincolnton, 28092	35					x	10.0	1.75	27,104	0	27,104	0	10,240	0	2,866	798	12,177	26,081
Olivet	Reid Martin, Rt. 2, Box 106, Catawba, 28609	50					x	15.0	1.5	37,106	0	37,106	0	11,154	0	0	1,623	8,124	20,901
Pearl	Mrs. J. D. Johnson, Rt. 1, Box 729, Iron Station, 28080	75					x	6.4	.6	30,566	529	31,095	0	11,594	0	6,000	1,521	6,693	25,808
Piney Grove	Mrs. Wayne Watson, Rt. 1, Box 372, Maiden, 28650	32					x	5.0	2.0	29,059	0	29,059	7,576	10,452	17,142	3,451	1,509	6,327	38,881
Poole's Chapel																			
Reepsville	Edward Helms, Rt. 1, Box 420, Lincolnton, 28092	117					x	12.5	1.75	47,830	0	47,830	0	16,196	0	0	1,357	16,059	33,612
River View	Pervy Coffey, Rt. 6, Box 87, Lincolnton, 28092	100	x					11.0	1.5	61,892	0	61,892	0	19,337	5,250	10,445	2,357	13,155	50,544
Roseland	Mrs. Frank Colvard, 321 E. Carter St., Lincolnton, 28092	12					x			10,465	0	10,465	0	3,200	0	3,669	162	3,433	10,464
Salem	D. B. Lewis, Rt. 7, Box 389, Lincolnton, 28092	120					x	4.4	1.5	55,127	0	55,127	2,000	13,425	0	13,866	1,959	21,169	50,419
Sharon	Mrs. Irene Armstrong, Rt. 1, Box 545, Iron Station, 28080	12					x	2.0	1.0	22,288	0	22,288	0	7,685	0	5,897	431	4,516	18,529
Southside	Mrs. Glenn Morrison, P.O. Box 101, Lincolnton, 28092	89					x	10.5	1.4	52,157	0	52,157	0	10,725	0	4,726	1,420	18,588	35,459
Temple	Mrs. Denver Bailey, F2111 East Main, Lincolnton, 28092	20					x			6,707	0	6,707	0	5,300	0	0	143	444	5,887
Westport	Philip Bearden, Rt. 2, Box 940, Denver, 28037	45					x	10.0	.5	45,506	0	45,506	0	15,114	0	15,233	2,039	10,962	43,349
	TOTALS	2,688								1,937,021	33,943	1,970,964	132,576	541,887	258,023	170,933	64,888	498,415	1,528,424

TABLE H — MISSION EXPENDITURES

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES	All other church spon. mission expenditures	Total church sponsored mission expenditures	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	Designated: State missions	Designated: SBC Home Missions (incl. Annie Armstrong Easter offering)	Designated: SBC Foreign Missions (incl. Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	Designated: Christian education (schools, etc.)	Designated: Children's homes (cash plus goods)	Designated: Hospitals	Designated: Homes for the aged	Designated: All other (Bible Society, temp. League, etc.)	Total other mission cause expenditures	Grand Total Mission expenditures
Amity	Mrs. Rhyne Reel, Rt. 2, Box 437, Iron Station, 28080	0	0	6,946	546	90	270	1,377	14	83	100	52	553	3,085	10,031
Antioch	Mrs. Ned Setzer, Rt. 5, Box 1062, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	4,294	800	150	199	995	242	200	150	173	0	2,909	7,203
Bethel	Mrs. Joe E. Mull, Rt. 5, Box 243, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	2,119	360	4	153	300	30	100	100	100	762	1,909	4,028
Boger City	Coleman Goodson, 1618 E. Main St., Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	12,000	2,000	80	308	1,500	0	275	112	35	1,663	5,973	17,973
Calvary	Mrs. Howard Schronce, P.O. Box 421, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	600	583	128	213	750	0	268	286	257	114	2,599	3,199
Cedar Grove	Mrs. Ross Williams, Box 398, Maiden, 28650	0	0	626	281	0	195	153	0	0	0	25	0	655	1,282
Center View	Mrs. Donna Lawing, Rt. 2, Box 460, Maiden, 28650	0	0	1,200	449	198	186	514	0	150	204	62	216	1,979	3,179
Coral Park															
Craig Memorial	Mrs. Gary R. McGinnis, Rt. 1, Box 197B, Stanley, 28164	0	0	5,208	1,466	0	265	460	0	0	0	0	1,829	4,020	9,228
Crouse	Mrs. J. W. Gantt, 1440 E. Main St., Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	36	209	87	105	248	0	161	79	91	0	980	1,016
David Memorial	Mrs. Steve Walker, P. O. Box 14, Iron Station 28080	0	0	100	75	0	89	96	0	10	15	10	50	345	445
Faith	Mrs. Ethel B. Helton, Rt. 1, Box 189, Mt. Holly, 28120	0	0	760	692	30	84	518	30	600	51	0	103	2,110	2,870
Fellowship	Mrs. Carl Rhyne, Rt. 1, Box 251, Iron Station, 28080	0	0	3,565	646	2,545	0	20	0	0	0	17	0	3,228	6,793
Friendly Chapel	Mrs. James Carpenter, Rt. 1, Box 352, Maiden, 28650	0	0	0	370	0	0	0	0	294	0	0	1,983	2,647	2,647
Gainsville	Larry S. Gilbert, Rt. 1, Box 161, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	5,723	812	38	377	637	0	300	39	42	0	2,245	7,968
Howard's Creek	Miss Terry Nantz, Rt. 1, Box 589, Iron Station, 28080	0	0	0	70	0	0	100	0	0	0	0	0	170	170
Hudson Chapel	Mrs. Pauline Sherrill. Rt. 10, Box 258. Statesville, 28677	0	0	236	200	15	15	0	0	25	25	25	162	467	703
Hull's Grove	Roger Kiser, Rt. 2, Box 155, Vale, 28168	0	0	3,060	600	0	944	1,283	993	168	20	133	53	4,194	7,254
Lawing's Chapel	Mrs. Bain Henry, Rt. 2, Box 117, Maiden, 28650	0	0	900	734	185	1,093	1,277	1,025	833	77	221	593	6,036	6,936
Leonard's Fork	Mrs. Jerry Elmore, Rt. 2, Box 24A, Vale, 28168	0	0	1,454	218	50	0	181	0	36	27	0	0	512	1,966
Lincoln Avenue	Mrs. C. W. McGee, Rt. 1, Box 427, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	17,391	1,770	143	1,124	2,553	150	213	168	107	0	6,228	23,619
Lincolnton, First	Mrs. Evelyn James, 619 N. Laurel St., Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	18,986	1,825	826	2,429	5,737	8	996	257	481	2,125	14,684	33,670
Lincolnton, North	Mrs. James W. Drum, Rt. 2, Box 192, Maiden, 28650														
Lincolnton, West	Mrs. Patricia Propst., Rt. 1, Box 288C, Vale, 28168	0	0	0	0	0	0	465	0	349	232	349	500	1,895	1,895
Long Shoals	Mrs. Grace Huffman, Rt. 6, Box 105, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	435	75	16	120	39	0	65	0	20	375	710	1,145

TABLE H — MISSION EXPENDITURES

Macedonia	Judy Perkins, Rt. 3, Box 589, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	1,458	853	119	356	1,471	0	143	380	263	1,637	5,222	6,680
Maiden, East	Mrs. Debra Parrott, Rt. 3, Box 470, Maiden, 28650	0	0	1,663	915	134	1,217	2,256	53	357	388	184	650	6,154	7,817
Maiden, First	Reggie Deaton, 415 N. Main Ave., Maiden, 28650	0	0	21,366	2,011	41	638	2,451	535	149	0	0	729	6,554	27,920
Massapoag	Miss Carol Kirksey, Rt. 6, Box 525, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	382	318	25	0	0	0	25	25	25	350	768	1,150
Mathis Chapel	Mrs. Kenneth B. Sigmon, Rt. 2, Box 222, Catawba, 28609	453	453	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	453
Mt. Anderson	Mrs. Woodrow Isenhouer, Rt. 1, Box 280, Maiden, 28650	0	0	529	500	139	120	156	75	200	100	75	280	2,645	3,175
Mt. Ruhama	Miss Beda Campbell, Rt. 1, Box 435, Maiden, 28650	0	50,143	15,600	1,404	855	5,928	4,000	252	1,905	1,175	648	6,245	22,412	38,012
Mt. Zion	Mrs. Wanda McMurphy, 1702 Hwy 275, Stanley, 28164	0	0	2,034	410	526	694	1,568	66	523	99	180	1,060	5,126	7,160
Mountain View	Mrs. E. A. Caldwell, Rt. 1, Box 255, Maiden, 28650	0	0	3,701	2,215	316	403	1,036	438	452	488	274	5,593	11,215	14,916
New Hope	Mrs. George Spake, 514 W. Main St., Maiden, 28650	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	30	30
North Brook	Mrs. Tom H. Wehunt, Rt. 1, Box 470, Cherryville, 28021	0	0	1,982	401	0	132	200	0	100	150	60	0	3,025	3,025
Oak Grove	Mrs. Lester Martin, Rt. 2, Box 785, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	2,624	384	30	96	380	30	30	30	35	0	1,015	3,639
Olivet	Mrs. Vergia W. Faust, Rt. 2, Box 55, Catawba, 28609	0	0	5,223	669	72	360	409	47	1,775	96	37	293	3,758	8,981
Pearl	Mrs. Carroll Beam, Rt. 1, Box 63, Iron Station, 28080	0	0	2,100	580	29	415	422	0	29	37	57	175	1,744	3,844
Piney Grove	Mrs. Brice Pope, Rt. 2, Box, Claremont, 28610	0	0	300	478	0	139	139	0	77	17	36	752	1,038	1,338
Poole's Chapel															
Reepsville	Mrs. Mary Sue Schronce, Rt. 1, Box 264, Vale, 28168	0	0	5,627	1,079	0	524	1,522	0	0	0	0	2,677	5,802	11,429
River View	Mrs. Lemuel Summey, Rt. 3, Box 1017, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	8,473	846	122	519	1,344	63	61	15	42	1,052	4,064	12,537
Roseland	Arthur Brown, Rt. 3, Box 390, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	0	18	104	50	0	39	25	0	0	236	236
Salem	Mrs. Bobby J. Hord, Rt. 7, Box 997, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	2,500	973	90	1,869	444	0	651	500	0	0	4,527	7,027
Sharon	Mrs. Kenneth Shull, Rt. 1, Box 221, Iron Station, 28080	0	0	300	150	0	100	100	0	100	100	100	0	650	950
Southside	Mrs. Glenn Morrison, P.O. Box 101, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	6,816	860	104	690	967	200	271	200	100	200	3,592	10,408
Temple	Mrs. Bryant, Mitchem, Rt. 4, Box, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	133	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73	206	206
Westport	Mrs. Columbus Rainwater, P.O. Box 292, Stanley, 28164	0	0	2,932	333	28	141	303	0	129	5	51	221	1,211	4,143
	TOTALS	453	50,596	160,449	30,293	7,233	22,614	38,421	4,251	12,142	5,772	4,367	33,098	160,574	330,296

TABLE I — SPECIAL INFORMATION

CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES	Number of church vocations volunteers	Bus Attendance	Kindergarten enrolment	Day care enrolment	Maj. new bldg. or remodeling proj. within year	Library	Recreation staff (comm.)	Ch: the Sunday night place	Pastor educ. assistance	Baptist Men's Day	Lay Renewal Weekend	Broadcast on Radio or Television	Christian Educ. Comm.	Recreation or Act. Bld.	Lay Evangelism School	Day Camp	Day Camp Curriculum Prepared by BSSB	Christian Citizenship Sun.	Christian Home Week	State paper in budget
Amity	John Carpenter, Rt. 1, Iron Station, 28080	1	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Antioch	Ned Setzer, Rt. 5, Box 1062, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y
Bethel	Ted. Elmore, Rt. 3, Box 1036, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Boger City	James Whitesides, Rt. 1, Box 529, Iron Station,28080	1	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y
Calvary	Fred Morrison, Rt. 5, Box 1065, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
Cedar Grove	Charles Withers, Rt. 3, Box 385, Maiden, 28650	0	0	0	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Center View	J. L. Laney, Rt. 1, Box 149, Maiden, 28650	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Coral Park																					
Craig Memorial	Tommy Huskins, 403 Sunset Drive, Stanley, 28164	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
Crouse	J. W. Gantt, 1440 E. Main St., Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
David Memorial	H. Donald McSwain, Rt. 7, Box 785, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N
Faith	Ben Helton, Rt. 1, Box 429-A, Stanley, 28164	1	0	0	0	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y
Fellowship	James Cody, Rt. 1, Box 245, Iron Station, 28080	4	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N
Friendly Chapel	Darris Turbyfill, Rt. 2, Box 428, Maiden, 28650	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Gainsville	Ralph Hawkins, Rt. 1, Box 41, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N
Howard's Creek	Marshall Gilbert, Rt. 1, Box 432, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Hudson Chapel	Woodrow Edwards, P.O. Box 17, Catawba, 28609	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
Hull's Grove	Kenneth Wehunt, Rt. 1, Box 510, Cherryville, 28021	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Lawing's Chapel	Worth Black, Rt. 2, Box 509, Maiden, 28650	0	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y
Leonard's Fork	Vance Heavner, Rt. 1, Box 43, Crouse, 28033	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Lincoln Avenue	J. W. Schronce, 310 Dale Ave., Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y
Lincolnton First	Don Pendleton, P.O. Box 159, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	0	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y
Lincolnton North	David Hart, Rt. 1, Box 82, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Lincolnton, West	Carroll Houk, Rt. 2, Box 392, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	100	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Long Shoals	Fred Gates, Rt. 4, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	15	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N

TABLE I — SPECIAL INFORMATION

Macedonia	George Robinson, Rt. 3, Box 505, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	0	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y
Maiden, East	Harold Caldwell, Sr., 1217 E. Main St., Maiden, 28650	1	0	0	45	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y
Maiden, First	Randall Davis, Rt. 3, Box 460, Maiden, 28650	0	26	51	0	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y
Massapoag	John Clark, 210 Little St., Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N
Mathis Chapel	Floyd Sigmon, Rt. 2, Box 188, Catawba, 28609	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Mt. Anderson	Vernon Caldwell, Rt. 1, Box 316, Maiden, 28650	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Mt. Ruhama	Coyte L. Punch, Rt. 1, Box 456, Maiden, 28650	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y
Mt. Zion	W. E. Stroupe, Rt. 1, Alexis, 28006	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Mountain View	Carroll E. Goodson, Rt. 1, Box 93, Denver, 28037	0	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N
New Hope	Graham Richard, Rt. 3, Box 457, Maiden, 28650	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
North Brook	Clyde Warlick, Rt. 1, Cherryville, 28021	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
Oak Grove	Nelson Beam, Rt. 6, Box 625, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Olivet	Basil Thomas, Rt. 2, Catawba, 28609	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Pearl	Forrest Sain, Rt. 1, Box 7, Iron Station, 28080	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
Piney Grove	Lee Bowman, 303 Travis Dr., Newton, 28658	0	0	0	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Poole's Chapel																					
Reepsville	Edward Helms, Rt. 1, Box 420, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y
River View	Herbert Roach, P. O. Box 463, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
Roseland	Preston Green, P.O. Box 5141, Boger City, 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Salem	Bobby J. Hord, Rt. 7, Box 997, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	32	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y
Sharon	Boyce Long, Rt. 1, Box 568, Iron Station, 28080	0	0	0	0	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Southside	Roney Sides, Rt. 4, Box 158, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y
Temple	Denver Bailey, F2111 East Main, Lincolnton, 28092	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Westport	Benny Craig, Rt. 2, Box 504, Denver, 28037	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N
	TOTALS	8	26	51	242																